

ARRESTS FOLLOW THE DISCLOSURES

REPORT THAT FORMER BANKER
TRANSFERRED PROPERTY
STARTS TROUBLE.

THREE PRISONERS ARRESTED

Wife and Her Relatives Taken into
Custody by Government
Officials.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Dec. 21.—Mrs. Edith L. Allen, wife of Philip Allen, Jr., who wrecked the First National bank of Mineral Point, recently pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced to ten years in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan. Mrs. Allen's sister, Miss Adelle Jackson, stenographer and bookkeeper of the Bedford South and Door company of Chicago, and their brother-in-law, Guy Lee of Winona, Minn., president of the Union Fiber company of that city, were arrested on Monday night on complaint of United States District Attorney George H. Gordon, charging them with conspiring to conceal property turned over to them by Allen since he was declared an involuntary bankrupt on Nov. 26.

The defendants were arraigned before Commissioner Chauncey C. Blake at once, pleaded not guilty and were bound over for their preliminary hearing on Jan. 4. Unable to furnish bail of \$5,000 each, they were committed to jail. They expect to be able to furnish bail within a few days.

The arrests followed a day of sensational testimony by the defendants in the bankruptcy court of Commissioner H. M. Lewis.

Nearly all in stocks.
The property which the defendants are charged with having conspired to conceal is alleged to be valued at \$45,000. It consists of the following:

One hundred and eighty-eight shares of the stock of the Union Fiber company of the value of \$18,800; 45,000 shares of the stock of the Tri-State Development company of the face value of \$15,000; 402,100 shares of the Lardou Mining company, of the face value of \$462,100; 23,100 shares of the Tullahoma Arm Gold Mining company, of the face value of \$23,100; insurance policy in the Northwestern National Life Insurance company of St. Paul, of the face value of \$2,500; insurance policy in the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company of Milwaukee, of the face value of \$2,000.

Real estate in the city of Chicago, transferred to Miss Jackson, of the value of \$3,500.

Admit Receiving Property.
The defendants at the hearing admitted that they had received property from Allen since he was declared an involuntary bankrupt, but said it was in payment of loans made by them to him.

Some of the securities are now in the vaults of the Bedford South and Door company and some in the vaults of the Illinois Trust company, both Chicago concerns.

STRIKING SWITCHMEN CLAIMING A VICTORY

Companies Appear to be Winning
Strike in the Northwest—Many
Men Return to Work.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 21.—While the railroads have not yet officially recognized the trouble caused by the striking switchmen the delay in handling both freight and regular passenger trains through the St. Paul and Minneapolis yards has seriously inconvenienced the roads. However, the backbone of the strike now appears to have been broken. The men claim they will win out while the railroads



CENTRAL FIGURES IN SWITCH-
MEN'S STRIKE.—At left, W. G.
Lee, President Brotherhood of Rail-
way Trainmen. At right, Governor
Adolph Elberhard of Minnesota. At
bottom, L. W. Hill, President of the
Great Northern Railway.

Insist that the strike has not incon-
veniened them to amount to anything.

POOL EXPERTS WILL PLAY FOR CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE

Thomas Hueston and Benjamin Allen
To Compete in Boston in Big
Series.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Boston, Mass., Dec. 21.—The oft
played for title of pool champion of
the world is about to be subjected to
another tussle between two of Amer-
ica's leading cue experts. They are
Thomas Hueston of St. Louis, the
present holder of the championship
title, and Benjamin Allen of Kansas
City. The match begins in this city
tonight and is to continue through
three nights, the contest being played
in three blocks of 200 balls each.

EXTORTION THE CHARGE BROUGHT BY ATTORNEYS

Claimed Insurance Companies in the
State Charge Unjust
Rates.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Dec. 21.—Charging
extortion and discrimination, and
demanding a reduction of all the ex-
press rates in Wisconsin from 50 to
75 per cent of the existing rates, the
Merchants and Manufacturers' associ-
ation of Milwaukee, through its at-
torney, Walter Drow of Madison, filed
a vigorous and comprehensive com-
plaint before the railroad commission
this afternoon. Every express com-
pany operating in Wisconsin is named
in the complaint, and the Wells-Fargo
company is singled out and charged
with advancing the rates of the United
States Express company, whom it
succeeded in Wisconsin, 50 per cent.
The tariffs of the American and National
Express companies are cited
showing that at the same time the
Wells-Fargo advanced its rates those
companies advanced their rates to a
common point.

The several companies are charged
with earning excessive dividends on
inflated and fictitious capitalization.
A general attack is made on excessive
salaries paid the officers, and the com-
plaint cites in detail the fact that ex-
press rates in Nebraska are 20 per
cent lower than in Wisconsin. The
several companies are charged with
violations of law. The minimum ex-
press rate under the graduated tariff
table of 25 cents on the smallest
package between Milwaukee and any
point in Wisconsin is challenged, and
a minimum rate of 15 cents on pack-
ages weighing less than four pounds
between Milwaukee and points with-
in 50 miles is demanded.

The service of the companies gen-
erally between Milwaukee and Wis-
consin points is declared grossly in-
adequate and inexpedient. It is
declared that more adequate service
should be required, and the greatest
practicable expedition of city delivery
in all cases be afforded.

The most striking portion of the
complaint is a detailed analysis of the
capital and earnings of the several
companies. It is charged the com-
panies earn from 8 to 10 per cent upon
a capitalization from four to ten
times greater than the actual value
of the property. Figures are given show-
ing that some earn from 350 to 400
per cent of the total cost of the prop-
erty and equipment.

LONGEST NIGHT OF YEAR HAS ARRIVED

Tomorrow Earth Reaches Winter
Solstice Which Marks Beginning
Of Astronomical Winter.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—For
this latitude today is the shortest day
of the year and at six o'clock tomor-
row morning, when Washington time,
the Earth will reach the winter sol-
stice, which, astronomically speaking,
marks the beginning of winter. In
its mid run around its elliptical orbit
around the Sun, the Earth, twice every
astronomical year, reaches points
astronomical winter, the longest
which mark respectively of the earth from
the Sun. These points represent the
turning points of the four seasons,
the vernal equinox and the autumnal
equinox, when day and night are of
equal length, the Summer solstice,
when the day is longest and the night
shortest, and the Winter solstice,
when the day is shortest and the night
longest. On the southern hemisphere
the order is reversed and while
December 21 usually marks the short-
est day of the year on the northern
hemisphere, on the southern hemi-
sphere it marks the longest of the year.



and the beginning of the astronomical
summer.
The ancient Greeks called the
period including the seven days pre-
ceding and the seven days following
the shortest day of the year "the
halcyon days." The phrase is de-
rived from the myth that during this
period, while the kingfisher or halcyon
bird was brooding, the sea was always
calm. According to poetic fiction, the
bird was represented as hatching its
eggs in a floating nest in the midst of
waters.

NO IMPORTANT NEWS RECEIVED TODAY OF NICARAGUAN AFFAIR

State Department Hears Nothing Of-
ficial—Senate to Investigate
Ballinger-Pinchot Con-
troversy.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—The
state department today has no news
of importance from Nicaragua. Nothing
was officially communicated of the
election of Madrid to the presidency
nor of the reported battle at Isuma.
Ballinger-Pinchot Controversy.
The senate today practically de-
clined at the request of Secretary
Ballinger to investigate the Ballinger-
Pinchot controversy. The resolution
was adopted asking for all papers in
the matter.
Managua, Nicaragua, Dec. 21.—The
United States consulate today received
a plea for the protection of Ameri-
cans at Granada and asking that
United States marines be sent to
Granada.

WIFE CHARGED WITH MURDERING HUSBAND FOR HIS INSURANCE

Indiana Woman Accused of Giving
Husband Poison in Small Doses
During His Illness.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New Albany, Ind., Dec. 21.—Mrs.
Pearl Armstrong was today formally
charged with having poisoned her hus-
band who died yesterday. Armstrong
has been ill for some time and it is
alleged that his wife began adminis-
tering small doses of poison last
Thursday. He held a \$1,000 life insur-
ance policy in the Modern Woodmen.

AUTOMOBILE OWNER SUES FOR DAMAGES

Manitowoc Council Will Fight Claim
of Captain Peter Christensen
for Damages.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Manitowoc, Dec. 21.—Rejecting the
recommendation of its committee filed
by Captain Peter Christensen and his
wife for \$50, the council last night
indicated a determination to fight the
claim in court and a damage suit
against the city will probably be filed.
The claim was based on alleged in-
juries sustained by Mrs. Christensen
in an auto accident off Fifth street
last summer, \$1,000 being claimed for
the woman and \$150 for the injuries
to the machine.

MANITOWOC STUDENT HONORED BY SCHOOL

Miss Marguerite Christensen Gets
Title of Associate in Literature
at Chicago.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Manitowoc, Dec. 21.—Miss Margue-
rite Christensen of this city was one
of the 110 students at the University
of Chicago who received the title of
"associate in literature" at the gradu-
ation exercises yesterday. Miss Chris-
tensen attended the university under
a scholarship which she won at the
local high school of which she is a
graduate of the class of 1907.

COMMISSION WILL NOT DECIDE CASE

State Railroad Rate Commission Has
Refused to Arbitrate Question in
Beloit Water Case.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Beloit, Wis., Dec. 21.—The latest
turn of affairs in the water works
case before the city and the State
Railway commission is announced by
City Attorney Adams, who says that
the commission declines to arbitrate
the question of the payment of the
hydrant rentals which was referred
to them. The city is holding up pay-
ment for the fire hydrants on the
grounds that no fixed sum is due
until the commission decides the gen-
eral rate questions now being tried
out before the commission. The com-
pany has petitioned the rate commis-
sion for permission to shut off the fire
pressure until the city pays on the
grounds that if a private customer
did not pay he would have his water
shut off. When testimony on the
water, gas and electric light question
was argued before the commission
the company submitted the proposi-
tion that the city pay the usual rates
with the understanding that if the
commission changes the rates the city
is to be reimbursed for any over-
charges. The city agreed to this and
asked the commission to pass on the
question. Today the commission de-
clines to arbitrate and the case must
be duly argued before the commission.
This in a way re-opens the water-
works case again.

BROWNLOW-SIMS WEDDING IS SET FOR TOMORROW EVENING

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—Official
society is greatly interested in the
wedding of Miss Elizabeth Virginia
Sims, daughter of Representative
Thomas W. Sims, from the 8th Ten-
nessee district, and Mr. Louis Brown-
low, which will take place tomorrow
evening at the home of the bride's
parents on Massachusetts Avenue. The
bride will be attended by her sister
Mrs. William Joyner, of Memphis and
Denver, as matron of honor, and the
best man will be Mr. W. L. Beale.
Dr. Power of the Vermont Avenue
Christian church will perform the cere-
mony, and a small reception will fol-
low immediately after at the home of
the bride. After a stay of several
months in Europe the couple will
take up their residence in this city.

COOK'S CLAIM IS NOT SUPPORTED

COPENHAGEN UNIVERSITY RE-
FUTES FORMER STATE-
MENT.

PROOFS ARE INSUFFICIENT

Says Consistory Board of School
Which Was First to Recognize
Cook as Discoverer of
North Pole.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Copenhagen, Dec. 21.—The Univer-
sity of Copenhagen, the first institu-
tion of learning to recognize Dr. Cook
as discoverer of the north pole, today
declared that the explorer had failed
to establish his claim.
The consistory board today and ad-
opted a written report to the effect that
the alleged records submitted for
examination by Dr. Cook failed to
prove his claim that he had reached the
pole.

Merely Copies.
Dr. Cook's original documents were
never submitted to the university.
The documents, the commission exam-
ined were two written copies of what
Dr. Cook's secretary assured the com-
mission were duplicates of the origi-
nals which were promised but never
presented.

Nothing to Say.
Washington, Dec. 21.—Commander
Perry had little to say concerning the
result of the Copenhagen university
report on Dr. Cook's claim except to
reiterate his declaration of three
months ago that Dr. Cook was hand-
ling the public a cold brick.
Is in Norway.
Dr. Cook's bucker in the Arctic
expedition, said today that he had for
some time been suspicious of Dr.
Cook's claim to not be entirely cor-
rect. It is stated that Dr. Cook is
in Christiania, Norway at present.

Are Furious.
Much indignation throughout Den-
mark is shown today over the sup-
posed deception practiced upon the
Danish people by Dr. Cook. Mem-
bers of the university commission are
said to be furious.

MISSING GIRL FOUND
WITH SHOW COMPANY

Margaret Haight Ran Away from
Home Because She Was Reported
for Skipping.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Chicago, Dec. 21.—Margaret Haight,
who mysteriously disappeared from
her parents' home in this city on No-
vember 30, was located at Flint, Mich.



lign, by the police and will be brought
back home by her father, who has
gone to the Michigan city for her.
The girl had been reprimanded for play-
ing truant from school and wandered
away from home. Deciding to adopt
the stage for her life's work, she en-
gaged herself to a musical company
playing at Flint, but failed to make
good and was found in a resort of the
Michigan city. The publication of her
picture in the paper caused her ar-
rest and she readily admitted her
identity.

FRUIT GROWERS TO DISCUSS PROBLEMS

New Jersey Hort. Rural Society
Holding Thirty-Fifth An-
nual Convention.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Trenton, N. J., Dec. 21.—New Jersey
fruit growers met this morning in the
Assembly chamber at the State House
and opened the thirty-fifth annual con-
vention of the State Horticultural
Society, which will last until Friday.
The program includes addresses, illus-
trated lectures and discussions on sub-
jects of vital interest to fruit growers.
The attendance at the opening session
today was unusually large.

President Elias S. Black delivered
his annual address this morning and
reports were presented by the other of-
ficers and the various standing com-
mittees. During the day the society
attended to addresses by Prof. William
W. Tracy, of the United States Depart-
ment of Agriculture; Dr. John B.
Smith, State entomologist of New Jersey,
and a number of other horticultural
experts of prominence.

Marriage License: Application for
a marriage license has been filed by
Herbert G. Gallaher of Delta, Colo.,
and Rosamond Hilda of Milton Junc-
tion.

MANY ARRESTED BY SHERIFF'S ORDERS AT BELLEVILLE

Fear of Yesterday's Riots is Now
Declared as Over-With by
Authorities.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Belleville, Ill., Dec. 21.—Eighteen
arrests of strangers who were unable
to account satisfactorily for their pres-
ence in Belleville was made this
morning. It is thought the men
walked from East St. Louis after the
failure of the mob to reach the town
by an earlier street car. Despite the
developments of last night it is not
expected the militia will be needed,
the sheriff apparently having the situ-
ation well in hand.

IS DEMONSTRATING HIS NEW INVENTION

Dr. Thomas Jonnesco, the Roumanian,
Reaches Chicago on His Jour-
ney of Education.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Chicago, Dec. 21.—It has remained
for Dr. Thomas Jonnesco to score one
of the greatest triumphs of the medi-
cal world. This Roumanian scientist
multiplied that stovaine is superior
to ether as an anesthetic and before
the honor of the medical profession
performed delicate operations with the
knife, the patients all the time remain-
ing wide-awake and conscious of all that
was going on and yet experiencing no
pain.

To take a patient sitting quietly on
the edge of a table, swinging his legs,
thrust a hollow needle into the small
of his back (with little more pain than
would be caused by stabbing his finger
with a pin) inject through it half a
teaspoonful of a colorless fluid, then
lay him down on the table and, with-
in three minutes, be able to cut down
to the bone anywhere upon his body—
amputate a limb, open the abdomen,
remove the appendix or a kidney,
without producing the slightest pain
of importance, yet leaving him per-
fectly conscious, with his eyes wide
open and able to observe every step
of the operation, if he so desires, is
certainly a striking and dramatic feat.
A wonderful triumph, a great out-
ward step in that marvelous increase
of control over the processes of life
which is the keynote of modern sci-
ence. Not less a triumph than a monu-
ment to the genius, the industry, the
devotion of scores of patient workers
and trying surgeons who have made
this conquest over pain possible.

Today Dr. Jonnesco is performing
operations at the Cook County hospi-
tal for the benefit of the Chicago sur-
geons and goes from that city to
Rochester, Minn., to inspect the hos-
pital of the Drs. Mayo there. He will
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WHITE SLAVE BILL IS AGREED UPON BY COMMITTEE

Congressional Committee is Ready
to Take Definite
Action.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—The
Mann "white slave traffic bill," recent-
ly agreed on by the house committee
on interstate and foreign commerce,
was favorably reported to the house
today by Chairman Mann of that com-
mittee. The report distinctly dis-
claims any purpose to interfere with
or tamper in any way the police power
of the states.

COLLEGE SHELTERS GRANGE CONVENTION

Pennsylvania State Grange Holds Con-
vention in State College
Building.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
State College, Pa., Dec. 21.—The an-
nual meeting of the Pennsylvania
State Grange opened at the auditorium
of the State College today with a
record attendance and there is every
prospects that the meeting, which will
close on Friday, will be one of the
most interesting and successful held in
many years. In connection with the
convention an exhibition of agricul-
tural machines, appliances and utensils
and a horticultural show have been
arranged, both of which were opened
today.

By the courtesy of President Edwin
E. Sparks, of the State College, the en-
tire College buildings have been
thrown open for the use of the visit-
ors and the rooms of the new building
of the school of Agriculture have been
placed at the disposal of the Grangers
for their general and committee ses-
sions. Virtually the entire four days
will be devoted to business, excepting
the meeting of welcome which is to
be held tomorrow evening. At that
meeting Leonard Thorne, a Centre
County past state master, will deliver
the address of welcome and "Farmer"
William T. Greasy, of Catawissa,
who has just ended his first term as
state master will deliver the response.
Dr. Edwin E. Sparks, President of the
State College, and J. T. Allman will
also deliver addresses.

BIG BENEFIT FOR HOME RULE PARTY

Proceeds Of Theatrical Performance
To Further Cause Of Home
Rule For Ireland.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
New York, Dec. 21.—Loyal sons of
the Emerald Isle and other sympa-
thizers with the Irish home rule cause
packed the New Amsterdam Theatre
this afternoon and vociferously ap-
plauded the "turns" of the score of
more vaudeville and legitimate actors
who contributed their services to the
monster benefit arranged in aid of the
fund that is being raised here for the
Irish Parliamentary Party. The affair
was also in the nature of a send-off
to T. J. O'Connor, M. P., who has been
touring the country for nearly two
months to raise money for the work
he has undertaken in regard to home
rule for Ireland. Mr. O'Connor will
sail for home tomorrow to take part
in the election campaign now on in Great
Britain. In addition to Mr. O'Connor
those present at the big benefit per-
formance this afternoon include Arch-
bishop Farley and a number of the
most prominent Irish leaders in New
York.

FAMILY CREMATED WHILE HOME BURNS

Father, Mother and Children Lose
Lives When Their Home Catches
Fire and Is Destroyed.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Yonkers, N. Y., Dec. 21.—Theodore
Fredericks, his wife and three chil-
dren were burned to death when their
home was destroyed by fire this morn-
ing.

ROBERT BACON GETS A DIPLOMATIC POST

Former Secretary Will Represent the
United States as Ambassador
to France.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—The
senate today confirmed the nomi-
nation of former Secretary of State Rob-
ert Bacon to be ambassador to
France.



MURDERESS MAY RECEIVE PARDON

EFFORTS BEING MADE TO RE-
LEASE JESSIE MORRISON.

GIRL'S DRAMATIC HISTORY

Killed by Her Lover, Young Woman
Slew Her Rival in Hand-To-Hand
Encounter While Wild With
Jealousy.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Topeka, Kan., Dec. 21.—A pardon
from Governor Stubbs may be received
as a Christmas gift by Jessie Morrison,
the Eldorado murderess, who is serv-
ing a sentence of twenty-five years in
the penitentiary. Ever since the prison
gates closed behind the young woman
seven years ago unrelenting efforts
have been made to secure her release.
Men and women of wealth and in-
fluence have been active in her be-
half. Foremost among these was the
late Col. Ben T. Murdock, the Eldorado
editor and brother of Congressman
Victor Murdock, who declared shortly
before his death that one of his great-
est ambitions was to secure the free-
dom of Jessie Morrison.

Had Colonel Murdock lived a few
months longer it is extremely probable
that he would have seen his ambition
realized, for it is generally believed
that Governor Stubbs has about made
up his mind to pardon the young
woman and will take action in the
matter at an early date. It is known
fact that Mr. Stubbs himself was in-
clined several years ago to join the
movement for a pardon for Miss Mor-
rison, but since his election to the
governorship he has hesitated to take
any hasty action in the matter. Re-
cently a petition signed by many of
the foremost citizens of Eldorado has
been presented to him, asking for the
pardon of Miss Morrison. To this has
been added the pleadings of a number
of the governor's most intimate friends
and advisors. In view of the strong
pressure thus being brought to
bear upon him it is regarded as al-
most a certainty that Governor Stubbs
will grant the young woman a pardon at
an early date.

The case of Miss Morrison is one
of the most noted in the criminal
records of Kansas. There has never
been any question of her guilt of the
murder of Mrs. Clara Castle, but those
who have urged mercy in her behalf
have based their pleas on her age, her
sex, and the further fact that the con-
duct of Olin Castle, husband of the
victim, had been such as to arouse
Miss Morrison to a frenzied passion.
Miss Morrison was in love with Olin
Castle. They were employed in the
same store in Eldorado and were en-
gaged to be married. Without notice
to her Castle married a young woman
named Clara Wiley. Shortly there-
after Miss Morrison went to the Castle
home and the two women engaged in
a death struggle. Mrs. Castle's throat
was cut with a razor from ear to ear
and she died a few days later.
Jessie Morrison was charged with
the crime. She pleaded self-defense.
The jury disagreed at the first trial.
At the second trial she was convicted
of manslaughter and sentenced to five
years. Her attorneys appealed and
the supreme court reversed the decla-
ration of the jury. She was conse-
quently acquitted in the second degree
and given twenty-five years in prison.
The supreme court affirmed this deci-
sion.

UNITY CONFERENCE MEETS IN TOLEDO

Delegates To Commission On Christian
Unity Convention Gather
In London.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
London, Dec. 21.—The conference of
the Commission on Christian Unity
opened here today, with delegates
from nearly every civilized country in
attendance. Sir Andrew Fraser, for-
mer governor of Bengal, is presiding
over the conference and Dr. Elias Mc-
Don of New York, the American dele-
gate, is vice-chairman. The principal
business before the conference is the
preparation of a report that is to be
submitted to the world's Missionary
Conference to be held June 10-24, 1910.

AIMS SARCASM AT WISCONSIN SENATOR

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—Mr.
Dewey in a bit of sarcasm today
thanked Senator La Follette in a
speech on the floor of the senate for
associating him with President Taft
in general criticism that appeared in
a recent issue of the Wisconsin sena-
tor's criticism of the president and of
himself. I think him heartily for this
association.

Saying that not only Senator La
Follette's magazine, but the daily and
weekly press of the country were
flooded with articles predicting a fail-
ure in the near future of the nation's
food and fuel supplies. Mr. Dewey
declared that such predictions were
most untimely on the eve of Christ-
mas.

"I desire, therefore, to spread upon
the record a few beams of sunshine
and to prove, which I think can us-
ually be done, that to American people
have before them as merry a Christ-
mas as has ever fallen to their lot."
Although the senator from Wiscon-
sin was out of the chamber the New
Yorker looked toward the customary
seat of his colleague, and, waving his
hand in that direction, said that he
trusted "that when" after Christmas
dinner, the Wisconsin senator's hands
are clasped soothingly over the rest-
ing place of his Christmas turkey,
his sleep will be blessed with happy
dreams for 1912, and his digestion im-
paired, because his host, like
mine, will be free from envy, hatred,
malice, and all uncharitableness."

In an extended speech Mr. Dewey
held before the senate his own opti-
mistic views of the progress of the
nation.

Brown Bros.

4 DAY Xmas Slipper Sale

We offer by all odds the greatest assortments of Slippers that we have ever shown, and because of the enormity of our stock we are quoting prices the lowest in Rock County

Special Sale

of beautiful Xmas Slippers, including Romeos,

High Tops

Carpet Slippers

Velvet Slippers

Felt Slippers

Plush Slippers

Vici Kid Slippers

Pat. Leather Slippers

Every Slipper in

store must go before

Christmas day.

Prices talk here and

talk loud. Great in-

ducements on every

pair in stock.

Handsome

Christmas

Slippers

For Men

35c to \$2.50

Beautiful Christmas

Slippers for Ladies,

25c to \$1.75

CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS

25c, 48c, 69c

Brown Bros.

NOTICE SERVED ON MAJESTIC THEATRE

Discontinuance Of Operation Of Phonograph Demanded On Threat Of Prosecution.
At the instance of the City Attorney the following notice was served on the Majestic five cent theatre management by Chief Appley today:
"Gentlemen: At the regular meeting of the common council held Dec. 20th, 1909, an order was passed directing you, as City Attorney, to notify you that unless you discontinue the operation of the phonograph in front of your theatre on Milwaukee street, you will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law."
Respectfully,
H. L. MAXFIELD.

As the protest on which the council acted referred only to sidewalk shows on the West Side, others will probably not be molested.

Connell's Christmas Cigars

Pipes and Smokers' Articles for "the man who smokes."

Standard and local brands in boxes of 25 or 50 for gifts.

Connell's Cigar Store

Milwaukee Street Bridge.

Are You Going To Buy Cigars For Xmas Presents?

If you contemplate buying cigars for Xmas presents don't overlook this store.
For the holidays we have all of the popular brands of cigars neatly arranged in holiday boxes of 12, 25 or 50 cigars each.
Our cigars are all fresh and in perfect condition; kept so in specially built cases. You can safely feel that your cigars will be in the best smoking condition if purchased here.

Razook's Candy Palace

"The House of Purity"

30 S. Main St. Both phones.

The Cheapest

Because the best.

Always order

PURITY BUTTER

It is Sweet, Pure, Flavorful.

"The name of the maker is on every crock or carton."

THE SHURTLEFF CO.

COMPETENT MEN ARE NOT SCARCE

PLENTY OF GOOD MATERIAL FOR A COMMISSION GOVERNMENT.

SOME NAMES SUGGESTED

From Appended List and Names of Other 2000 Taxpayers, Voters Should be Able to Select Three Efficient Men.

So many good names were omitted in publishing the "Gazette" last Saturday evening and so much has been said about the scarcity of good men for commissioners that the paper reproduces the list with numerous additions, and this only represents a fraction of the 2,000 taxpayers, many of whom would be competent to fill the position. How does this packing strike you?

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| Frank Blodgett | Arthur Jones |
| John C. Nichols | H. D. Hoover |
| John Cunningham | M. G. Jeffries |
| J. P. Baker | T. O. Howe |
| Joe Connors | T. J. Birmingham |
| A. E. Badger | S. C. Cobb |
| John L. Wilcox | J. A. Craig |
| C. L. Valentino | W. F. Carle |
| Fred S. Sheldon | John Hemming |
| Jno. M. Whitehead | Jas. A. Paterson |
| T. E. Bennison | C. B. Evans |
| F. J. Bailey | T. S. Nolan |
| J. L. Hostwick | E. C. Burpee |
| David Holmes | Peter Burg |
| O. A. Oestreich | W. S. Jeffries |
| Dr. C. G. Dwight | A. E. Hingham |
| T. E. Walsh | A. P. Lovejoy |
| Francis P. Starr | M. O. Mount |
| Dr. C. Sutherland | Wm. Smith |
| Ray E. Whiner | Frank Dewey |
| Frank Jackman | W. W. Brown |
| Geo. Osgood | H. C. Buell |
| J. Lane | C. W. Moore |
| Frank Ehlis | S. C. Burnham |
| Wm. P. Bosworth | N. L. Carlo |
| Wm. Madison | F. S. Baines |
| J. E. Carle | Mark Dunlap |
| J. W. Clark | V. P. Richardson |
| R. L. Colvin | Richard Valentine |
| J. P. Cullen | Henry Hanson |
| Chas. H. Gago | Jas. Pifford |
| J. W. Scott | E. T. Fish |
| Wm. T. Shorer | Charles Schwartz |
| W. P. Sayles | S. H. Haddles |
| Wm. Rager, Jr. | N. I. Milliken |
| W. O. Newhouse | Moyd Hurd |
| H. E. Ransom | Geo. Kinball |
| E. D. McElwain | Geo. E. King |
| Dr. H. E. Maclean | Fred L. Smith |
| C. H. Lange | F. P. Lewis |
| J. E. Hutchinson | A. E. Matheson |
| Michael Hayes | P. J. Mount |
| H. B. Buckmaster | W. A. Miller |
| H. G. Carter | Chas. Mungleton |
| C. S. Chisard | Phyly Norcross |
| E. B. Farnsworth | John Foster |
| H. J. Cunningham | Geo. S. Parker |
| S. M. Smith | John W. Peters |
| Jas. Shenor | W. T. Seaford |
| John Badman | Geo. D. Simpson |
| Dan Ryan | Fred Clifton |
| Edw. Rager | Stanford Sovorhill |
| M. P. Richardson | Dr. J. W. St. John |
| G. C. Olin | Henry Tall |
| H. W. McNamara | C. A. Taylor |
| El W. Lowell | C. H. Weirick |
| H. W. Lee | |

BROADHEAD.

Broadhead, Dec. 21.—Wilbur Gilbert has been home from Union Grove the past day or two on a visit to his parents and other relatives.

Miss May Mitchell leaves on Wednesday for Clarksville, Iowa where she expects to spend some months at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mitchell.

Miss Tina Hume returned to Orono on Monday after a short visit at home.

George Hunt was in Janesville on Monday.

A. B. Fitch was a visitor in Orono on Monday where he went to see friends.

Mrs. N. B. Wagg of Monroe spent Monday in Broadhead.

Mrs. A. J. Gordon was the guest of Mrs. J. F. Sweeney at the Grand hotel in Janesville on Monday.

Miss Sadie Gardner is assisting as clerk at the Fair store this week.

Mrs. M. Schenck is confined to her home on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Amorphol of Janesville were Broadhead visitors on Monday on account of the illness of their sister, Mrs. M. Schenck.

A. H. Clark left Monday morning for Rockford on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Foster will spend Christmas in Shullsburg with relatives.

Mrs. James Marty, Thos. Douglas and Ed. Flemming spent Monday in Janesville.

Miss Josephine Sherman went to Janesville on Monday to meet Miss Helen French who arrived home from Chicago to spend Christmas.

Mrs. Frank Hall of Rockford, who had been here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Linzey, returned home on Monday.

Master Theodore Prescott of Chicago, who was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Donmyer, returned home on Monday.

Miss Nellie Blackford returned Monday from a visit in Albany and went to Monroe.

Earl Enghardt of Janesville spent Sunday in Broadhead with his parents.

Laborers Ended.

"For 20 years I've been fighting for a principle in this town and I'm discouraged." "The people won't have it, eh?" "They've decided to adopt it and I shall have no excuse, after this, to keep on fighting."

Improved Footgear.

Revolution in footwear seems to be prompted by an ingenious invention—namely, a sole and heel, which will shortly be placed on the market. This idea is no less than a removable sole—the old wears through, and the new is slipped in, for all the world like a new pair of laces!

NORTON'S BARGAIN COUNTERS.

ARE OVERFLOWING WITH APPROPRIATE XMAS BARGAINS.

TODAY'S CHICAGO MARKETS.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chicago, Dec. 21.

Cattle receipts, 6,000. Market, steady. Hogs, 4,000@8.50. Texas steers, 4.00@4.50. Western steers, 4.00@4.25. Stockers and feeders, 3.00@5.25. Cows and heifers, 2.10@5.50. Calves, 7.25@9.25.

Hog receipts, 25,000. Market, steady. Light, 7.50 and 8.40. Mixed, 8.15@8.55. Heavy, 8.25@8.50. Rough, 8.25@8.35. Good to choice heavy, 8.35@8.60. Pigs, 7.00@7.50. Bulk of sales, 8.25@8.50.

Sheep receipts, 15,000. Market, steady. Native, 3.00@5.50. Western, 3.50@5.70. Yearling, 6.50@7.40. Lambs, 6.75@8.40. Western lambs, 6.00@8.40.

Wheat—Opening, 1.10 1/4 @ 1 1/4; high, 1.13 1/4; low, 1.15 1/4; closing, 1.14. May—Opening, 1.13 1/4 @ 1 1/4; high, 1.13 1/4; low, 1.15 1/4; closing, 1.11 1/4 @ 1 1/4.

Rye. Closing—79. Dec.—77. May—80.

Barley. Closing—53 1/4 @ 71. May—66 1/4 @ 71. July—60. Dec.—61 1/4.

Oats. May—45 1/2. July—42 1/2 @ 43. Dec.—41.

Poultry. Turkeys—17. Springers—13. Chickens—13.

Butter. Creamery—27 1/2 @ 25. Dairy—25 @ 30.

Eggs. Eggs—25 1/4 @ 30 1/4.

THE JANESVILLE MARKETS.

Janesville, Dec. 21 1909.

Feed.

Ear corn—\$12.50 @ \$13. Feed corn and oats—\$20 @ \$27. Standard middlings—\$20 @ \$27.

Oil meal—\$1.50 per 100 lbs. Oats, Hay, Straw.

Oats—40 @ 42. Hay—\$12 @ \$12.50 ton. Straw—\$8 ton.

Rye and Barley. Rye—75c for 60 lbs. Barley—55 @ 60c bu.

Elgin Butter. Elgin, Ill., Dec. 21—Butter, 35c; sales for week, 605,700 lbs.

Butter and Eggs. Creamery butter—35 1/2 @ 36. Creamery butter—33 1/2 @ 34. Fresh butter—32c. Eggs, fresh—28c.

Vegetables. New potatoes—35c @ 42c bu. Cabbages—35c @ 40c doz. Apples—\$4.00 @ \$7.00 per bbl.

Poultry Market. Live fowls are quoted at the local market as follows:

Old chickens—8c @ 9c. Springers—10c. Turkeys—17c alive.

Hogs. Steers and Cows. Hogs—Different grades, \$5.50 @ \$7.50. Steers and cows—\$3.50 @ \$4.50 @ 5.00.

Save money—read advertisements.

German Proverb. He that always complains is never pitied.

There are Hundreds of Practical Gifts at Sheldons Hardware Company

Quality Groceries

Closed all day Xmas. Home made Mince Meat, 15c a lb. Home made Fruit Cakes, 25c. Mixed Nuts, 18c a lb. English Walnuts, 18c a lb. Mixed Candy, 20c a lb. Little Garmur Cigars, in holiday boxes, \$1.00. Oranges, 30c a doz. Apples, 40c. Fresh Oysters, 45c a qt. Celery, 15c a box. Green Grapes, 20c a lb. Cream Cheese, 20c a lb. Brick Cheese, 22c a lb. Bologna Sausage, 10c a lb. Frankfurters, 12 1/2c a lb. Honey, 20c. Strained Honey, 12c. Buckwheat Pancake Flour, 10c. Pure Maple Syrup, 40c a qt. can.

J. T. SHIELDS Riverview Park Grocery Both Phones

CIGARS FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS

There is nothing that pleases a man more than to receive a nice box of cigars as a Holiday Gift. In view of the tremendous demand for cigars packed 25 in a box, we have prepared a number of our regular brands in this special holiday packing.

RETAIL BOX PRICE

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| 50c A BOX
La Belle Vera (12 cigars)
(Domestic) | \$1.25 A BOX
Black & White, Perfectos
Black & White, Bouquets
(Domestic) |
| 65c A BOX
N. C. S. Resagos
(Domestic) | Earl of Pawtucket, Invincible
(Domestic) |
| 75c A BOX
Pride of Cuba (12 cigars)
(Seed & Havana) | Cuba Roma, Panetelas
Clear Havana |
| 85c A BOX
Yankee Consul, Juniors
(Domestic) | \$1.45 A BOX
Yankee Consul, Perfecto
(Domestic) |
| 90c A BOX
Adad, Perfectos
(Domestic) | Stirling Castle, Regal
(Clear Havana) |
| 95c A BOX
Brown Tips, Panetelas
(Domestic) | \$1.50 A BOX
Rosa Vista, Panet. Extra
(Porto Rican) |
| \$1.00 A BOX
Flashlight, Perfectos
(Domestic) | \$1.75 A BOX
Grand Duke
(Domestic) |
| College Days, Perfectos
College Days, Club House
(Domestic) | \$1.90 A BOX
Royal Sovereign, Panetela
(Clear Havana) |
| Dum Dum
(Domestic) | Lord Carver, Conchas
Lord Carver, Panetelas
(Domestic) |
| Reliance
(Domestic) | \$2.00 A BOX
Lady Curzon, Invincibles
(Domestic) |
| Morrison's Cabinet
(Domestic) | El Solano, Conchas
(Clear Havana) |
| Tamboril (12 cigars)
(Clear Havana) | |

OFFICIAL SEAL, Perfectos (Domestic)—(This Week-End Special, packed 1-40, will be sold during the week at \$1.75 a box and on Saturday and Sunday at \$1.25)

Pipes and Smoker's Articles

Here you will find a most complete Pipe stock, well displayed with the prices marked in plain figures—a great convenience when shopping. Every pipe we sell bears a written guarantee from the maker.

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| Genuine Moerschaum Pipes..... | \$2.50 to \$7.00 |
| Briar Pipes..... | 25c to \$4.00 |
| Cigar Jars..... | 50c to \$3.00 |
| Smokers' Sets..... | \$1.00 to \$3.00 |
| Ash Trays and Match Holder Sets..... | |
| Cigar Cases..... | 35c to \$3.50 |

SMITH'S PHARMACY THE REXALL STORE. Kodaks and Kodak Supplies.

Wisconsin Music Co.

Common Sense Piano Buying

Let each prospective Piano-buyer follow the dictates of his or her own common sense and a long stride towards better pianos will have been assured. Perhaps in no other line of business is there more of an element of chance in buying—UNLESS YOU KNOW WHAT YOU ARE GETTING.

Don't be influenced by the absurd claims of irresponsible salesmen. Don't let imagination take the place of careful reasoning. And above all don't think that the maker of a standard grade of piano will knowingly allow another concern to sell a better piano for less money. For if a small organization can profitably dispose of a few thousand pianos of certain grade at a profit what is impossible to the organization that manufactures by tens of thousands annually?

Wherever you buy, you pay every cent the goods are worth. With us you have reasonable assurance that you pay NO MORE than you ought to. That in itself is reason enough for getting our figures, at least.

The factory of which we are a unit is the largest in the world engaged in the manufacture of high-class pianos. See our pianos before you buy. Our prices are low. Our terms easy.

Wisconsin Music Co. 52 COURT ST.



More Common.
"Of course," said the very talkative person on the back platform, "no man ever is a hero to his valet." "And what is much more to the purpose," said the sour-faced individual in the doorway, "no woman ever was a saint to her hired girl."

Had Him.
Guest—"What are your terms?" Proprietor—"A dollar a day and take your meals out or ten a day and board here." Guest—"Nine dollars for eating. Are you crazy?" Proprietor—"No; but the nearest luncheon is at Kilbuck, 30 miles over the hills."—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

Read advertisements—Save money.

Xmas Tree Trimmings

The richest tinsel in fringed roped styles per yard 10c.

Fine silvered bells, bulbs, balls, comets, wreaths.

Miniature Xmas trees in stands 15c.

Tiny Christmas candles big box 15c. Regulation size, per box 10c

Great and small candy canes, pop-corn balls.

Christmas candles of purest quality in profusion, all prices, in Christmas boxes or by the lb.

J. E. House
CONFECTIONER
640 red.

RAZOOK'S CANDY PALACE

So called because everything we use in the making of our candies is absolutely the best and purest obtainable. Your

Christmas Candies

should be wholesome and pure. Our line of candies for the holidays is most complete, embracing the output of the leading candy manufacturers, as well as our large line of delicious home made candies.

RAZOOK'S CANDY PALACE

30 S. Main St. Both Phones

To Women Pipe Purchasers

These of you who wish to give a pipe to someone for Xmas, can make that smoker's heart glad with one of my

Pipes

Moreover, your money will go farther here. By this I mean that my pipes are unusual value.

J. L. SPELLMAN
W. Milwaukee Street.

WINTER'S DEBUT IS HERE ON WEDNESDAY

Shortest Day in the Year and Also the First of Genuine Winter.

Residents of Janesville who have firmly believed that winter has been with us for several days past and that the snow and zero weather are sure signs that the good old-fashioned winters of former years have come back, will be surprised to learn that the real debut of Father Winter comes tomorrow. To be exact the official opening of the winter period of the North American continent begins at five P. M. tomorrow afternoon.

The plan of having winter begin precisely on this date did not originate with the local astronomer. In fact, it is a scheme that was worked out in the minds of the past and has been kept up with reasonable regularity ever since, though not with perfect exactitude. The time varies slightly from year to year. The date and hour indicate the beginning of winter, because it is the time that marks the greatest declination of old Sol.

It is the shortest day in the year, yet it is interesting to know that it is not the day on which the sun sets earliest of the one on which that great orb rises latest. At first glance the statement may seem paradoxical to the layman, yet it is true. This circumstance comes about through the fact that the sun itself, to its almost the perfection of constancy, is sometimes slow and sometimes fast according to our reckoning.

For this particular occasion the shortest day of the year, the beginning of winter, comes about midway between the earliest sunset and the latest sunrise, the former event occurring on December 10, at 4:24 o'clock in the evening—over a week ago, while the latter will not come to pass until half-past seven in the morning of January 1.—just a week after Christmas.

In honor of the coming of the winter season nature has covered Janesville and its physical environment with a mantle of snow, yeapt "the beautiful" though otherwise catalogued in the lexicon of the hired man or the householder who must "shovel off" the chaotic accumulation. So far the season has been mild of temper, and winter will begin under circumstances most agreeable unless some untoward condition arises between now and tomorrow afternoon. Sleighbells are fine, business is good, and the winter may be said to open auspiciously.

Link and Pin

Chicago and North-Western. Instead of running through to Harbison as has been formerly done, the crew on 531 will give up their train at Janesville and relieving a Madison Division crew, will go south on 534. The crew which brings 534 from Madison will in turn take 531 from Janesville to Harbison.

Engineer Wilke and Fireman Lewis went south on a stock extra this morning at 12:30.

Engineer John Chen is relieving Janesville on 531 and 541 today.

Engineer Helm of the Madison Division was taken ill suddenly yesterday afternoon and with Fireman Keane double-headed home last night. Engineer Hartman and Fireman Carl Jensen were sent down from the north to take their place in the Madison Division pool.

Engineer E. A. Schoenberg with engine 890 took second 514 through here this morning.

Engineer George Wilson with engine 486 double-headed 508 out of Janesville this morning.

Engineer Munger of Harvard took Engineer Coen's place on the half and left this noon.

Engine 710 came up from Beloit dead in a train last night and was put in the shops for repairs.

Engineer Stritt and Fireman Wilkins double-headed up from Chicago on 507 today.

Fireman Dooley dispatched last night. Fireman Dalton had his place on the night switch engine with Engineer Yates.

Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul. ENGINEER GATES RETURNS FROM COAST EXTENSION

Engineer Joe Bates returned this morning from the Pacific Coast Extension where he has been working since last August. For over five weeks he was confined in a hospital at Miles City, Montana with typhoid fever but was released last Friday and has returned to Janesville to recuperate from his long siege of illness which at one time seriously threatened his life.

In reports that for engineers, business is making on the extension the main difficulty being due to the fact that engineers are hardly given chance to rest. Throughout his five months of service, he piloted one of the K1 engines and had it not been for the fact that he felt a victim to typhoid, would not have lost an hour. The line is now however, the country is practically a desert and the means of relaxation and amusement so few that everyone works under a heavy strain and it takes a good man to stand the pace.

With regard to the settlement's strike in the north-west, he states that affairs are far from settled. The St. Paul extension is badly blocked and the Northern Pacific is hardly moving a train a day on the main line.

Engineer Higgins and Fireman Duetweiler took out 165 this morning.

Fireman Seltz took Kuehling's place on 50 this morning with Engineer Harrison.

Engineer Jack Cornelius is laying off sick today.

Fireman Solbert went out on second 405 last night with Engineer Miller.

Engineer Deannaugh and Fireman

Marlin took out an extra yesterday afternoon, at 2:30, with engine 1023.

Engineer Bush and Fireman Green took out 173 this morning.

Engineer Smith and Fireman Duxstad took out 91 on time this morning.

Uncle Walt THE POET PHILOSOPHER

By WALT MASON
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He stood erect, and having seen that artists for some magazine had sketched him in his RIENZI TO proper pose, he cleared THE ROMANS his throat, and blew his nose, and said: "All Romans, you are slaves! You've not the price to buy your shaves! The good old sun's still on the sort, and his last beam falls on a sort, Great Scott, my friends, is freedom dead? O whence and whither do we tread? I view the future with alarm! We tremble 'neath the tyrant's arm, and ye may tremble, some of Rome, until the muley cows come home, but you will still be in the hole, unless some fiery, dauntless soul, like me, shall lead you from the wreck, and shall lead the tyrant in the neck! And here I stand to cut the ice! I'm ready for the sacrifice! I'll save you, if a Roman can! As candidate for consulman, I am your votes, and if I win I'll swat the tyrant on the chin. I'll represent the fourteenth ward, and represent it good and hard, and drive the grafters from their place, and kick the tyrant in the face! Corruption in our Rome will die, if you'll support your Uncle RI!"

BANQUET GIVEN TO EVANSVILLE LODGE

Members Of Modern Woodmen Camp Entertained By Members Of Order At Magnolia.

Evansville, Dec. 20.—Between thirty five and forty members of the local Woodmen camp responded to an invitation to visit the camp at Magnolia Saturday evening. The party went in sleighs and cutters and met a hearty reception and were royally entertained. They were treated to an initiation and a bachelor supper followed by an interesting program made up of the singing of old time songs and the speaking of old fashioned pieces. There were also many other entertaining features on the program all of which were conducive to the passing of a pleasant evening and a genuine justification.

Christmas Exercises. The following program will be given at the Christmas tree in the Methodist church Friday evening at seven thirty, all are welcome.

Music—Choir.
Prayer—Pastor.
Recitation—Merry Christmas Every-
one, Mildred Mabeley.

A Song—Of Christmas—Marcella Wilber, Dorothy Batts.
Welcome Recitation—Natalie Webster.

Christmas Cheer—Primary Class.
Recitation—Grandma's Mistake—Mertle Anfel.

Song—Christmas—Blessing—Leon Reed, Myrtle Johnson.

Recitation—Oliver Robinson.
Solo—A Heavenly Song—Fern Ball.
Recitation—A Christmas Cat—Veda Noyes.

Palm Branches—Choir.
Christmas Reading—Miss Lora North.

Music—Choir.
Reading—The Pads of Miss Philary, Miss May Holmes.

Music—Choir.
Distribution of Presents.
John Wall was called to New York Saturday by the serious illness of his mother.

Miss Bessie Mc Murray a graduate of the Chicago trading school will leave next Monday for Rock Springs, Idaho, where she goes to take up the work of a deaconess.

There will be a basket ball game here next Thursday evening, between the Waterloo city team and the Evansville Y. M. C. A.

Miss Charity Winsor is expected this week from Plattville, to spend the holidays at the home of her brother.

Harry Pense is making some extensive improvements on the house which he owns over on the East side.

Mrs. A. C. Jett of Oseola, Wis., is visiting relatives here.

Port Lay transacted business in Chicago last week.

A ten pound girl was born last Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carson entertained Miss Agnes Drummond of Janesville over Sunday.

E. J. Rockford is spending today in Madison.

Miss Pearl Hoffel has closed her school in the Johnson district for a three weeks vacation.

J. H. Brand left yesterday for his home in Elmira, N. Y., to spend the holidays with his family. He expects to return soon after the beginning of the new year and will spend the remainder of the winter here.

Russel Wilkinson of Janesville was the guest of Earl Potter and other friends over Sunday.

C. C. Broughton is a business visitor in Brooklyn today.

Mrs. George Ball was in Janesville Saturday to visit her daughter, Miss Oleta Ball.

Miss Lura Rye of Johnstown, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Winslow. Blain Davis was a Janesville visitor Saturday.

Make Home Happy. Make the home life as happy as you can for the children. Many a boy goes astray, not through lack of care and training, but because home life is not made as happy as it might be. Children, while they are young and impressionable, should be surrounded with happiness. It is as essential to their well being as sunshine is to flowers. If, as they grow up, they find that happiness is not to be had at home they soon learn to look for it elsewhere.—Home Chat.

The Braggart Sized Up. The man who says he can do anything can usually do nothing.

DAINTY GIFTS

FOR WOMEN

That are very desirable because they are in use every day, are our

Toilet Articles

We can show you a pleasing variety of handsome pieces in silver, ebony and fancy mountings, with plain or highly ornamental finish. They are priced moderately.

KOEBELIN'S

Jewelry and Music Store.
HAYES BLOCK.

Cling to Inherited Tongue. After years of effort to spread the English language, the home tongue of the full-blooded Hawaiian is his aboriginal jargon. Exclusive of the half-white in these islands there is but one family that talks the English language in its home. All the rest are as true to their inherited tongue as they are to their racial hue.

Excited. During a fire at Sutton, Vt., a man arrived on the scene with a pall of yater, but the excitement was so great that he forgot all about the water and it was only when the fire was over that he realized that he was still carrying the full pall about with him. The advertisements will suggest what to give as gifts.

Fault of Weak Mind. A weak mind is like a microscope, which magnifies trifling things, but cannot receive great ones.—Lord Chesterfield. Infatigable. The way to tell whether a girl like you or not is not to believe whether or she makes it seem to be.

For Christmas Candies Of Exceptional Merit

—SEE—

J. E. House's Great Display

Throughout the entire line you will find candies of the best quality.

Milwaukee Street Bridge New Phone 640 Red

Special prices to churches, factories and schools on quantities.



TO-MORROW

the UNITED CIGAR STORES CO. opens its first store in this city at

16 EAST MILWAUKEE STREET

Look for the UNITED Shield on the windows. It's the emblem of quality.

We come to this city because we believe there is room for us.

In ninety other big cities we operate hundreds of stores on the original plan which will prevail here—all known by the Sign of the UNITED Shield—the emblem of quality.

These stores are all operated on one plan—to give better cigars for the money, no matter what price you pay, than you can get elsewhere.

Whether we do or not we will ask the smokers of this city to decide.

SPECIAL Inducements and Souvenirs on Opening Day. And something

to ask for on coming in—United Cigar Store Value. Palma de Cuba Media Perfecto. The price, 4 for 25 cents, the cigar a proof of our proposition.



UNITED CIGAR STORES COMPANY

(R. M. Hamburger & Co., Agency)



The Janesville Gazette
New Bldg. 200-204 E. Milwaukee St.
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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST
Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.
MEMBER OF ASSOCIATED PRESS
BUSINESS OFFICE OPEN SATURDAY EVENING.

THE BINDING TWINE PLANT
The weather may be a little off for discussing a summer proposition like binding twine, but the State Bureau of Labor has just sent out an exhaustive report as the result of thorough investigation, and the findings, briefly summarized, may be of interest as the question is bound to be threshed out again at the next legislative session. The Bureau of Labor presents the question from every angle, and while the report is unbiased, it contains but little to recommend the industry from an unprejudiced standpoint. The work employs but a limited number of convicts for only three or four months of the year. The shops are unsanitary, because of dust and fine fibre which accumulates from material used. The capital employed is necessarily large because raw material in large amount must be carried through the year, and this, in addition to the capital invested in plant and equipment, means an interest account of not less than \$25,000 a year. Of the eight states where these plants have been established, Minnesota is the only one to show a profit, after eight years of experimenting. In the other states partial or complete failure is recorded. The Minnesota plant shows that the farmers who buy direct of the prison saved this year about one and a quarter cents per pound on their twine, but this saving was lost to the state if interest on the investment is recognized. The farmers of Wisconsin used this year 6,000,000 pounds of twine. If the state had been prepared to furnish it on the same basis as Minnesota they would have saved \$75,000, but this would have meant an investment of half a million dollars and several years of experimental loss. The legislature of 1907 appropriated \$125,000 for a plant at Waupun, and the last legislature was asked for \$470,000 more, representing a total of about \$600,000. Inasmuch as the plant is in process of construction, the suggestion has been made from a number of quarters that the whole matter might be compromised for the present by leasing the twine plant to have on hand to a private contractor. It is probable that such a contract could be made. In endorsing the suggestion, the Bureau of Labor says: "(1) The state would receive a definite revenue from the convicts' labor. (2) No further appropriations would be necessary and no risk taken. (Each plant has gone through a period of experimentation. It is probable that with state management some costly mistakes would be made until the warden and board of control learned the business. (3) After the expiration of contract of (say) five or six years, the manufacture on public account could still be undertaken. (4) It is conceivable that such a contract might be made with specific individuals or associations rather than with the highest bidder. (5) Self-interest would cause such a contractor to sell at approximately as low a price as other prisons because the good will of the farmers is a valuable asset. (6) It will be noted, however, that these advantages relate solely to the financial aspect. The objections to the nature of the work would remain the same." The state is not suffering for a twine binder plant. Better spend the money on good roads and turn the convicts out to do the work, the same as they do in the south. This would mean outdoor employment for the men, and practical results for the state.

THE RETURN OF SANITY
The following paragraph from a New York financial letter is significant: "As the year draws to a close there is an improved undertone in financial circles. Uncertainty is gradually disappearing, and a more hopeful feeling prevails. Congress has been in session for nearly two weeks, and thus far there are no indications of seriously hostile legislation against other corporations or railroads. President Taft is shortly to issue two messages, one dealing with the railroads and another with large corporations. Nothing is yet known concerning the president's purposes on these subjects, but his well known views, which have been repeatedly expressed in the past, afford assurance that no radical proposals will be offered. It is not likely that the railroads will object to any reasonable regulation, nor are the corporations likely to any longer resist a rational application of the anti-monopoly law. A good deal of discussion must be anticipated, and more or less radical talk may be expected, but no disturbing legislation seems probable at this date. The rational action of the courts, moreover, in recent anti-trust matters is reassuring, and in all probability new legislation will in due time be shaped to more closely conform with the action of the courts." It indicates a return of sanity and is refreshing on that account. If congress and every state legislature could take a vacation for the next four years, it would be a good thing for the country.

Laws and regulations have piled up so rapidly that it has been impossible to assimilate them, and in attempting to adjust business to new conditions much loss and confusion has resulted. The president recognizes these conditions and will do all in his power to prevent their becoming worse.

The Hollinger-Pinchot squabble is to be investigated by congress, in compliance with the president's request. This will give the magazines a much-needed rest, and the magazines can spend time to get their second wind for the next encounter. The man at the White house isn't doing much talking, but he is on deck most of the time, and reasonably familiar with navigation.

Janesville people will have an opportunity to vote on the commission form of government Tuesday, Jan. 11, 1910. If the plan is adopted, as it should be by a resounding majority, it will mean a long stride forward. Every city in the state is waiting to see what Janesville will do. It is worth while to lead the procession, now and then.

The men opposing the commission form of government are using the Wisconsin law as a pretext. They are opposed to the new system on general principles, and it would not be possible to draft a law which they would endorse. This is a fact which the voters will do well to keep in mind. The Wisconsin law is all right. If it shows defects, after being tried, they can be remedied with little effort.

Much of the second class mail matter which burdens the mails, and adds to the cost of the department, is composed of mail order publications which have no paid circulation, but are advertising schemes pure and simple. If the government can reach them in any way it will be a good thing for the country in many ways.

Young Parr, the government clerk who unearthed the secret spring which led to the prosecution of wagers and others connected with the sugar frauds, in the New York custom house, will be substantially rewarded, as his share in the fines collected, is not less than \$700,000. It pays to be a government detective.

It is reported that the Pennsylvania railroad has come to a satisfactory settlement of the 1910 wage scale, and that no strike will occur on any of its lines. Other companies will likely follow suit, and the much-discussed railroad strike averted. A mutual understanding is always desirable.

A magazine which contains from 75 to 100 pages of muckraking material, and twice as many pages of advertising, can hardly be called a literary necessity, and there is no reason why this class of publications should not pay the freight.

A box of Pittsburg stogies is always a strong reminder of wifely affection, although she might object to their being smoked in the wood shed.

The man whose credit is good never knows how much his wife thinks of him until the bills come in the first of January.

Wise Rule of Japanese. Jap children are not allowed to school until after their sixth year.

XMAS SLIPPERS
IN SPECIAL SHOWINGS
Great Values
We mention only a few
Women's Felt Julietts at \$1.00—Extra good quality felt in wines, red, brown and black, fur trimmings, all sizes...\$1.00
Women's Felt Julietts at \$1.50—Extra fine quality felt, all sizes \$1.50
Children's Felt Julietts in red and black, fur or plain trimmed, sizes 5 to 8...\$1.00
Women's Knit Slippers, closely knitted with lined wool soles, sizes 3 to 8...\$1.00
Men's \$1.00 Slippers—Tan, black and chocolate, Everett style, kid quarter, great value \$1.00
Men's Slippers, \$1.50—Chocolate and black, Romeo, Opera and Everett styles, fine kid lined, fine assortment to choose from, special at \$1.50
Men's best Kid Slippers in tan and wine, opera style, extra quality...\$2.00

THE GOLDEN EAGLE

Human Nature. "Don't you think, Mary, you are too old to play with the boys?" "No, mamma; the older I get the better I like them."—Judge.

Only a Few More Xmas Trees Left
Fine condition—good trees, 25c to 45c
Great value in Xmas Candles Mixed, at 10c, 3 lbs. 25c. Fresh large mixed nuts, 15c lb.
Animal crackers, candy cherries, strawberries and other Xmas trimmings. Xmas candles, box 10c. Beautiful large holly wreaths 15c.
Florida Indian River Oranges, doz. 25c. California large navel oranges, doz. 30c. Fine Baldwin and Spy apples, pk. 40c. Large ripe bananas, doz. 15c.
Home Made Mince Meat 15c a pound
Luncheon Olives, qt. jars 30c. Bulk Queen Olives, qt. 45c. Pure Fruit Luncheon Preserves, 15c.
F. H. BICK & CO.
S. Main street

Rich, Juicy, Young Beef AT THE MARKET ON THE SQUARE
We have just received a lot of young Poll Angus baby beef. This meat was raised by Reid Bros. specially for us. Home dressed, this kind of beef makes the very best food value that it is possible to obtain.
From this lot may be obtained:
Choice Roasts at 18c a lb.
Choice Steaks at 20c and 25c a lb.
The very high quality, richness, juiciness and tempting flavor of this meat make it well worth the price asked.
We make deliveries to any part of the city.
J. F. SCHOOFF
The Market on the Square
BOTH PHONES.

A Handsome Picture
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See our beautiful large line of Wallace Nutting's hand colored Platins and hundreds of other exquisite works in mottoes, pictures, brass goods, etc., at
THE ART SHOP DIEHLS
Cor. River and Milw. St.

OLIN & OLSON
The Xmas Store
This store is equipped and arranged especially for the gift buyer and is filled with articles of charm and distinction selected for their special suitability as gifts of use and beauty.
3 More Days
left in which to do your Xmas shopping. Our stocks are still very complete.

For Christmas AT SKELLY'S Book Store
Few presents give as great and as lasting a pleasure as books. If you are looking for attractive presents why not see off stock before making your decisions?
All our books are sold at sweeping reductions from publisher's prices.
We also show a fine line of stationery in beautiful holiday boxes. Prices 10c to \$3.00 a box.
Christmas Cards, Christmas Postals, Christmas Tags, Seals, Labels, Coin and Currency Envelopes. A large assortment to select from.
We show a good line of Parker Lucky Curve Fountain Pens, also the Williamson Fountain Pens, a suitable gift for Christmas.
Postal Card Albums ranging in price from 15c to \$4.00 each. Hundreds to select from.
In Fancy China our assortment is still complete.
All exclusive designs to select from.
Fine Cut Glass at very low prices.
Diaries for 1910.
SKELLY'S BOOK STORE
107 W. Milwaukee St.

Janesville Pure Milk Co.
TESTED EVERY DAY
RICH SWEET SAFE
PASTEURIZED
PURE, CLEAN WHOLESALE MILK
Add your name to our growing list of satisfied customers.

Making a Cork Fit.
Rather than attempt to pare down a cork to make it fit a smaller bottle, cut two wedge-shaped slices out of it across the small end, at right angles, and you will then have a cork that will fit quite tight and snug.


Her Reply.
Young Sister—"What is diplomacy, Edith?" Edith—"It's the power that lets me see Bob Winters kissing all his pretty cousins, without showing the jealousy that's almost eating me up."

Xmas Sweets
Here are a few of our Wholesome, Home-made Specials
10c a lb. WHITE OR MOLASSES TAFFY. PEANUT BRITTLE AND PEANUT TAFFY. COCOANUT TAFFY.
20c a lb. WALNUT TAFFY. CHOCOLATE NUGGETS. CHOCOLATE PEANUTS. CHOCOLATE NUT FUDGE. CREAM NUT, MAPLE AND VANIL. LA KISSES.
ASSORTED CHOCOLATES—Our own home-made bitter sweet Chocolates 30c a lb.
JOHNSTON'S famous Chocolates, fresh and new... 50c a lb.
Beautiful Boxes and Baskets for Holiday Gift Candles.
JANESVILLE CANDY KITCHEN
Zanlas & Vlachos 307 W. Milwaukee St.

Early Xmas Morning
you will want to say, "Hello, Merry Christmas," to your friends.
Use a Rock County Phone and you can get in touch with all of them easily and quickly.
Order a Rock County Phone at once so that you can secure quick communication with all your friends.
As a Christmas gift one of our telephones is practical, serviceable, and good every minute all the year 'round.
Send your name to us, have your phone installed at once and get your name in our new directory issued January 1st.
For \$1.00 a month you can have a Rock County Telephone in your home.
ROCK COUNTY TELEPHONE CO.
Jackman Block.

Fountain Pens
HALL & SAYLES

NEW CHRISTMAS Novelties Are Arriving Every Day at The NEW STORE.
We are selling a Genuine Morocco Hand Bag, full leather-lined, with change purse, German Silver Frame, at \$3.00.
German Silver Chain Purse, full kid lined, \$5.00 and \$6.00 values, at \$3 and \$3.50.
This purse is Best Quality.
Our line of Belt Pins, Brooches, Stick Pins, Cuff Links, Buck Combs, &c., is very complete, and our values are unsurpassed.
By spending five minutes in our store, you are sure to find something to please you.
POND & BAILEY
Janesville's Finest Shopping Center.
233 W. MILWAUKEE ST.
Watch us Grow.

DJ LUBY
GIFT MERCHANDISE OF THE FINEST GRADES
This store has successfully developed new ideas in men's holiday merchandise.
Cravats are popular gifts for men. Good taste is everywhere manifested in our immense holiday showing. Rich and exclusive styles fashioned by the most renowned designers, included in attractive Christmas boxes. All the prevailing shades, 50c to \$2.
KNIT MUFFLERS IN SPECIAL HOLIDAY BOXES
for either men or women. This store is showing an elegant range of the popular V shaped Bradley Mufflers. All the new shades. They come in all collar sizes, 12 to 18, 50c.
GOOD TASTE is everywhere in evidence in our immense showing of men's holiday presents.
Men's fancy silk suspenders, 50c to \$1.00. Fancy silk suspenders, silver and gold buckles, all included in holly boxes, \$1.00 up.
Men's combination sets hosiery, tie and handkerchief, priced \$1.00 to \$5.00.
Men's initial handkerchiefs, 6 in a box, ranging from 85c to \$2.75.
Men's silk hose, all shades, 60c up.


The Gift You Make

may show not only thoughtfulness, but also real kindness and deep reward. It may easily be a practical and helpful gift with a lasting permanent value as well as a pleasing remembrance.

The gentleman who came into my office the other day had the proper Christmas spirit. "You fix up the girl's teeth and send the bill to me," he said.

"Could you think of a better way to express your Xmas sentiment?"

DR. F. T. RICHARDS

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Ladies' Free Night Tonight

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Turkish, Russian and all known baths.

6 tickets \$5.00. (Redeemable.)

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Specialists in chronic and nervous diseases.

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109 S. Main St.

Get your Xmas Poultry Orders in early and insure prompt delivery.

J. F. SCHOOFF
The Market on the Square.
Both Phones.

Dainty lunches, served in an appealing manner, in our handsome parlor, for a moderate charge. A very complete menu from which to choose.

RAZOOK'S CANDY PALACE
The House of Purty.
30 S. Main St. Both phones.

GOOD GAME WILL BE PLAYED AT Y. M. C. A.

Match Between College Basketball Players and Local Association Team Scheduled For Tonight

The strength of the Y. M. C. A. first basketball team has been recruited by the return of Bruce Kline, who is to play at center in the game this evening. Kline who was with the five when they first started practicing, was taken sick, and it was feared that he would not be able to play this evening. But he has recovered sufficiently to allow him to go into the game and at last night's practice showed exceptionally good form in floor work and throwing baskets.

Kline's return brings joy to the hearts of the players as the Milton college five whom the association squad are to be matched against this evening are very strong. There has always been considerable rivalry between the two teams.

CURRENT ITEMS.

Start your boy on the right road. \$1.00 opens a savings account for him in the Bower City Bank. Put the savings deposit book in his Xmas stocking. He will appreciate it.

FOR SALE—Wood, \$5.00 per cord, blocked. New phone 764.

Grand Duke and Dum Dum cigars are put up in boxes of 25 for the holiday trade. At all dealers.

Make a Xmas gift of a savings account in the Bower City Bank.

Grand Duke and Dum Dum cigars are put up in boxes of 25 for the holiday trade. At all dealers.

The wisest gift that you can make to the young man you are interested in is to start a savings account with \$1.00 or more for him in the Bower City Bank. It will help teach him to save. Put the Savings Deposit book in his Xmas stocking. Bower City Bank.

Hot chicken pie with special 35c luncheon tomorrow noon at the Ten Stars, Delicieux, Conco.

Regular meeting of Rock Council No. 736, F. A. A. at Spanish War Veterans' hall tonight at 8 o'clock. Business of importance will come before the meeting.

Regular meeting of the Janesville Lodge No. 264, B. P. O. E. this evening. Important business. C. D. Evans, E. R.

Stated meeting of the Western Star Lodge No. 14, F. & A. M. in the Masonic temple at 7:30 this evening. Work in the F. C. degree and a large attendance is desired.

Myrtle Workers of the World. Don't forget the date, Wednesday, Dec. 22, dance at East Side I. O. O. F. hall. Good music and a grand time assured.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Anna McNeill is expected home this evening from a visit in Kansas City.

Miss Armstrong of the high school faculty spent yesterday visiting in Madison.

Miss Anne De Forest, who is attending the art institute at Chicago is home for the holidays.

Mr. Bunny Dooley was in Rockford on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hart of Peru, Indiana were in the city yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Emmeline Hart.

Mrs. G. A. Beach of Corning, Cal., who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hullock on South Main street, departed yesterday for her home.

G. W. Greeley of Roscoe was in the city yesterday.

J. E. Buder, manager of D'Urban's band stopped in the city yesterday on his way to Milwaukee.

H. C. Pense of Edgerton spent yesterday in the city.

Charles Johnson of Milwaukee was a Janesville visitor yesterday.

W. F. Haas of Milwaukee transacted business in the city yesterday.

E. E. Adams of Rockford visited in the city yesterday.

Henry Sandals of Milwaukee was in the city on business yesterday.

Joseph Ellis has departed for Newmarket, Pa., where he will spend the holidays.

George H. Skinner was here from Edgerton last night.

George Bateman of Juda was in the city yesterday.

J. P. Albion has departed for South Haven, Mich., where he will spend Christmas with a sister.

J. F. Sweeney and daughter, Miss Minnie Sweeney, are spending the day in Milwaukee.

Miss Mae Broadbent of Milwaukee is a Janesville visitor.

M. R. Applewall of Ft. Atkinson was in the city last evening.

H. R. Black of Lake Mills was a Janesville visitor yesterday.

Miss Sarah Hickey went to Milwaukee, today, for a few days' visit.

Harry Clarke has gone to Sterling, Ill., to spend the holidays and will commence his new duties at the Hotel Myers after the first of the year.

W. Schneider of Johnson Creek was in the city last evening.

C. J. Lyons was here from Brookfield yesterday.

E. H. Harbour of Lake Geneva was in the city last evening.

Rev. J. C. Hazen is spending the day in Milwaukee.

Roy Pierson is a Milwaukee visitor today.

Miss Adeline Donnelly left yesterday for a visit in Kansas City, Mo.

Miss Hazel Howe, who is attending Bradford academy at Bradford, Mass., is home for the holidays.

Mr. Davis returned Saturday evening from Menomonee, Wis., where he is attending the Stout manual training institute.

H. Hart of Chicago, manager of the hotel department of Swift and company was in the city yesterday to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Emmeline Hart.

Miss Hester Burch has returned from Chicago to spend the holidays.

NOTICE
The regular meeting of Crystal Camp No. 132, R. N. of A., will be held in their hall Wednesday evening, all the officers elect are requested to come at 7 o'clock sharp to practice for installation. By order of Oracle and Recorder.

Free-For-All Fight: Jess Wells who is alleged to have been the instigator of a free-for-all fight on West Milwaukee street, in front of the Y. M. C. A. building last evening, pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness in municipal court this morning and will spend Christmas in the bastille. He was unable to pay a fine and costs amounting to \$5 and received a 10 day sentence. William "Hutch" Moshier also pleaded guilty to a drunkenness charge and will have to spend to days at the Hotel Scheibel unless relatives come to the rescue with \$2 and costs.

County Officers to Attend: County Clerk Howard Lee, County Treasurer A. M. Church, Clerk of Court Jesse Davis, School Supt. O. D. Antfield, and District Attorney J. L. Fisher will attend the supper and entertainment of the Monmouth club at Belknap's hall in Afton this evening. The meeting has been announced as "An Evening With Our County Government."

Miss Matie Crowley was in Chicago Sunday and Monday.

Miss Hazel Setzer of Orfordville visited in the city yesterday.

Walter Flaherty of Chicago is home for the holidays.

C. N. VANKIRK

We will be open every night this week, and we have everything you want for Christmas.

Christmas Trees.
Fine Holly, 15c.
Holly Wreaths 15c, 2 for 25c.
Evergreen Wreathing, 5c yd.
Oranges, 25c, 30c, 35c & 40c doz.
Large Grapefruit, 3 for 25c and 4 for 25c.
Extra Fancy Mixed Nuts, 15c & 20c.
English Walnuts, Pecans, Brazils, Filberts and Fancy Long Almonds—Nuts.
Christmas Candles of All Kinds.
Fancy Table Raisins, Candied Cherries, Candied Pineapple, C. & B. Candied Ginger in boxes, 25c box; very nice for eating, or for salads.
Solid Meat Bulk Oysters, 45c qt.

Canned Soups of all kinds.
Minced Clams for soup, the finest put up.
Clam Chowder, large cans, 25c.

Canned Lobster and Salmon.
Vegetables of All Kinds—Parsnips, Carrots, Cabbage, Rutabagas, Onions, Lettuce & Celery.
Spanish Onions.
Cranberries, 10c; 3 qts., 25c.
Dill Pickles, large.
Spiced Sour Pickles, 10c doz.
Sweet Pickles, plain and mixed, 25c qt.
Olives in Bulk or Bottle.
The Finest Salad Oil in Quart Cans, \$1 & \$1.25 per can; in bottles, 25c 45c.
Try a pound of our Fancy Coffee for your Christmas Dinner, 20c, 25c, 30c & 35c.
My store will be open until noon on Christmas.

Are Ready For Christmas

Plenty of good things to eat. Christmas Candles, 10c, 3 for 25c.
New Mixed Nuts, 15c, 2 lbs. for 25c.
New Walnuts, 15c lb.
New Hickory Nuts, 10c qt., 3 for 25c.
Tom Thumb Pop Corn, 5c, 0 lbs., for 25c.
Sweet Cider, 30c gal.
Strictly Pure Home Made Mince Meat, 15c lb.
Plenty of finest Fruits and Vegetables.

Taylor Bros.

415-417 W. Milwaukee St.
Phones 398-307 new, 4221-2544

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WILL GIVE BANQUET.

On Thursday evening, Jan. 27th, Assembly Hall will be the scene of the ninth annual banquet and dance given by Carroll Council, No. 506, of the Knights of Columbus. The Knott & Hatch six piece orchestra has been engaged for the occasion and no effort is being spared to make this affair a grand success. Invitations will be issued in ample time and further notice given as to the appointed hour and program; furthermore, any other information that may prove of interest. Tickets for the banquet will sell at \$1.00 the plate or person, which of course also includes program and dance. We assure all Brother Knights and others that former parties will be eclipsed by the one now in hand.

Bear the above in mind as it is of interest to you, your family and friends, and watch later issues of this paper for matters pertaining to this banquet.

Read the ads. and save money.

1-LB. SEEDED RAISINS 8c PKG.

1-LB. PKG. CLEANED CURRANTS 9c

1 LB. BEST CITRUS 18c

1 LB. BEST LEMON OR ORANGE PEEL 15c

WALNUT MEATS, 35c LB.

JELL-O ALL FLAVORS 8c

3 PKGS. MINCE MEAT 25c

1-LB. WALTER BAKER'S CHOCOLATE 28c

CLUSTER RAISINS, 20c LB.

SAGE, 5c PKG.

FLORIDA ORANGES, 20c & 25c DOZ.

BULK OYSTERS, 45c QT.

ALL KINDS OF NUTS AND CANDIES FOR XMAS.

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Store Closed All Day Xmas. Store Open Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday Evenings.
Holly and Holly Wreaths.
Xmas Trees and Bells.
Greens for Wreathing.
3 lbs. Xmas Candy 25c.
All New Mixed Nuts 15c lb.
After Dinner Mints.
Richelleu Molasses 20c qt.
Lean Beef for Mince Meat.
Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel.
6 lbs. Shelled Popping Corn 25c.
Fine Bunch Creamery Butter, 34c lb.
Fresh New Almonds, Walnuts, Pecans, Filberts and Nigger Tocs.
3 lbs. Richelleu Raisins 25c.
4 lbs. Seedless Raisins 25c.
Fort Dearborn Currants 10c.
Success Patent Flour \$1.45.
Corner Stone Flour \$1.50.
Gold Medal Flour \$1.50.
Marvel Flour, Coupons, \$1.55.
Rye Flour 25c sack.
Blodgett's O. T. Buckwheat 30c.
Doty's B. C. Buckwheat 30c.
Denoyer's Afton Buckwheat 35c.

Best 50c Tea on Earth.
Best 25c Coffee on Earth.
Fresh Graham Crackers, 10c lb.
Salted Wafers, 15c lb.
Home Baking.
4 Mountain Sweet Corn 25c.
4 cans Early June Peas 25c.
2 cans Dinner Bell Salmon 25c.
Walter Baker's Chocolate 30c lb.

Richelleu Coconut 20c lb.
Fresh Marshmallow Candy 20c lb.
3 qts. New Hickory Nuts 25c.
3 qts. large Dark Red Cranberries 25c.
Fancy Olives 10c pt.
Cane Sugar Only.
Albany Graham and Buckwheat 8 Swift's Pride Soap 25c.
8 Santa Claus Soap 25c.
8 Lenox Soap 25c.
6 Old Country Soap 25c.
3 cans Golf Pumpkin 25c.
3 cans Lewis Lye 25c.
Order Now—Will Be Busy.
2 lbs. 20 M. T. Borax 25c.
Cigars for Xmas.
GROCERIES AND MEATS.

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25c to 50c.
Buy now before the most shapely ones are gone.
Holly Wreaths, 2 for 25c.
Holly, small sprigs, 20c lb.
Decorate your homes.
Get the spirit.
Mrs. Lester's Mince Meat.

N. Y. Citron, very tender, 25c lb.
Currants, Raisins, Nut Meats.

Try a Hickory Cake, we have the meats, at 75c lb.

Johnson's Sweet Cider

Fresh each tapped this a. m. Best made, 30c gal.
Thick Boiled Cider, pints and quart bottles, 20c and 35c.

3 lbs. bright Seedless Sultan Raisins for 25c.

Xmas Candies

Some very choice pieces.
Walnut Busters, Peanut Busters (stuffed with Peanut Butter), Buttercreams, etc., 20c lb.

Kraus' Fine Xmas Broken Mixed, 2 lbs. 25c.

Xmas Nuts

Choice Mixed, 15c.
No. 1 Paper Shells, 20c lb.
Brazils, Almonds, Filberts, Pecans, Walnuts, etc.

Small white English Walnuts, 2 lbs. 25c. Fine quality and a bargain.

Cresca Dainties

Stuffed Figs and Dates.
Beautiful goods. A more desirable present than a box of candy. Come in and see them. 45c and 85c jar.

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Pop Corn
that will pop and is tender,
6 lbs. 25c
25 lbs \$1.00
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LOST—Two Scotch Collies two-thirds grown, 7 mos. old, female, and male. Reward if found. James Reel, 34 Arch St. Old phone 3882.

FOR SALE—Practically new Edison phonograph; large brass horn; cost \$60.00; also 75 records. \$25.00 takes it. E. N. Fredendall. New phone 703.

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Cream Mixed Nut-top Candies, special20c
Chocolate Caramels20c
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Mixed Nuts, 15c lb., 2 for25c
Fancy Large Walnuts, lb.18c
New Navel Oranges, doz.25c
Fancy Indian River Falls Oranges20 and 25c
Fancy Large Canadian Baldwin Apples, pk.50c
Extra Fancy Northern Spices, Apples, pk.50c
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These apples are of an exceedingly good strain—are big, rich, juicy and sweet.

Spanish Green Grapes, lb.15c
Extra Large Size Grapefruit, 8c
Fancy Bananas, doz.15c
Good Fancy Cranberries, 10c; 3 for25c
Grimes Golden Cooking Apples, pk.35c
Holly Wreaths, 15c; 2 for25c
Bulk Holly, lb.10c
White Lily Flour\$1.40
You Can Still Take Advantage of This Low Price.

Choice Eating Potatoes, bu. 40c
Sweet Creamery Butter, lb. 37c
Half Gal. Pails Ft. Dearborn High Grade Table Syrup, 20c
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Walter Baker's Chocolate, lb. 29c
Single Cakes15c
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Johnson's Sweet Cider, Gal. 25c
Johnson's Boller Cider, qt. bottles28c
Barrett & Barrett's Extra High Grade Boiled Cider, bottle 35c
Calumet Baking Powder, lb. can15c
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MOORADIAN UNDER ARREST IN MONROE

Armenian Rug Seller Charged With Being A Transient Merchant Without A License.

Monroe, Wis., Dec. 21.—J. M. Mooradian, an Armenian, who has had a large line of oriental rugs on display at the Ludlow, where he has been selling them to wealthy residents of the city, was arrested yesterday on a warrant sworn out by Marshal W. O. Hunt, who acted on complaints made by local merchants. The Armenian is charged with being a transient merchant without a license. The charge is made under a local ordinance which provides for a per diem license of \$200. Henry Hoehn, who paid more than \$400 for a rug, complained to the marshal that the arrest was petty and said it was a rare privilege for the citizens to get selections from a choice line of imported rugs. The marshal said they were not imported and Mr. Hoehn offered to bet him \$1,000 to \$500. The officer claims they were made in New York and that he saw the bills from the mills. The Armenian has been selling numerous rugs at fancy prices. He

pleaded not guilty to the charge and his hearing was set for February 8 before Police Justice M. E. Hultze. City Treasurer Robert Miller is awaiting the taxpayers at the Commercial and Savings bank, where he will collect taxes until December 31. He will then move to the First National bank, which he leaves the city depository on January 1. Dr. W. H. Curdline was the first to make settlement and received receipt No. 1.

The Illinois Central gasoline car, which has been undergoing repairs for a week or more, was run out on the Freeport-Madison line yesterday morning but lost its motive power at West Junction, just outside of the Freeport yards, and a steam train was made up to make the run.

Mrs. Louisa Barber leaves next Monday for Syracuse, N. Y., where she will spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Merrill Griswold.

White & Fritz, the local ice firm, are preparing to begin the season's ice harvest next week. An excellent crop is in prospect as a result of the recent and winter weather.

Prof. G. B. Haverson went to Madison yesterday to spend a week with the university board of visitors, of which he is a member.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. C. Chadwick, who

are here from Ermonston, left yesterday to visit at Judd and Broadhead, and will go to Janesville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hunt left yesterday for their home at Green Bay after a visit to relatives here.

Miss Mabot Swartz, of the county clerk's office has gone to Prairie du Chien to spend Christmas with her mother.

Miss Ada B. Williams is home from a visit to Rockford friends.

Mrs. R. A. Etter is at Black River Falls on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. A. McGilivray.

Deputy Sheriff Christ Zweifel was at Broadhead yesterday.

Miss Helen Sterns is home from a visit to friends at Beloit.

Misses Edna Klester and Daisy Zimmern are home from Menomonie.

TWO YOUNG COUPLES WERE WEDDED IN ORFORDVILLE

Edward Reeder and Julia Dahlen married last Tuesday—Hammell.

Direx Nuptials Thursday. (Special to this Gazette.)

Orfordville, Dec. 20.—Edward Reeder and Miss Julia Dahlen were united in marriage on last Tuesday morning at the Lutheran parsonage by Rev. O. J. Kvale. They were driven to

Hannover and took the train for Waukegan and Milwaukee to spend a few days.

The marriage of Miss Jennie Hammell to John Dille of Evansville took place last Thursday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hammell.

Mrs. J. M. Cleyland is slowly on the gain.

"Uncle John" Vail is in very poor health.

Harley Christensen, who has been spending several months in the northern part of the state, returned home last Saturday.

Geo. Bursley, who has been spending several months at Chester, Iowa, returned home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Beck went to Beloit on Friday to spend a few days.

Christmas exercises will be held at the M. E. church on Christmas eve, and at the Lutheran church on Monday evening.

The bazaar and supper given by the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church was a grand success. The proceeds were about \$70.

About one hundred young lady friends of Miss Gertrude Beebe gave her

a miscellaneous shower at the M. E. church parlors on Saturday afternoon in honor of her approaching marriage to Emerson Albhouse. Refreshments were served and Miss Beebe received

many beautiful gifts.

The Christmas cantata which was given by the choir at the M. E. church on Sunday evening was well attended and was very much enjoyed by everyone.

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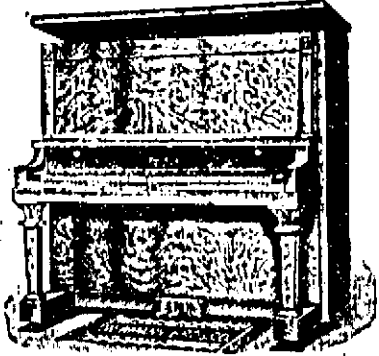
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A Xmas Suggestion

The Ideal Home Piano

See that the piano you are about to buy has the name Newman Bros. Co. on the fall board and then you make no mistake in buying a piano that is, sure to please. Newman Bros. is a household word, an ideal piano for your home. Our pianos are strictly high grade, only the best materials are used and with none but thoroughly experienced workmen of long years standing we turn out a piano second to none in tone and very few its equal. We say buy the Newman Bros. piano because it is the best for tone and durability. Send for catalogue.



Here is Another Appropriate Gift ONE REGINA MUSIC BOX

Large in size but cheap in price. Originally cost \$111.00, but we got it in trade for a piano so we can sell it at \$40.00, including 66 different tune sheets. Nearly new. Fills the home with beautiful music. Its a bargain. Come and see it.

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PUTNAM'S To Make Room For A New Line of Merchandise.

We will close out all of our Table Toys at about Half Price. All 10c Toys at 5c; all 25c Toys to close at 15c; all 50c Toys at 30c. All Wicker Body Doll Carts to close at just HALF PRICE.

\$2.50 Wicker Doll Carts to close at - \$1.25.
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HINTS FOR XMAS SHOPPERS

Read This List of Interesting Bargains and Gift Goods

About 50 Beautiful Satin Sofa Pillows

In floral and conventional design with silk floss filling. You would pay \$1.50 for them in any city department store; special holiday price, 98c.

Our holiday showing of pillow top and pillow covers, all ready to slip the pillow into, offers a wide range of beautiful styles in the figured tapestry, French silk tapestry, the new Burlap novelties, silk velours, satin, etc., priced 25c to \$1.50.

The Christmas Comforters

Bought especially for holiday selling, the daintiest of styles. We have these in pure cotton filled, wool filled and down filled at \$1.25 to \$9.00.

Bath robe blankets, one blanket enough for robe. We show these in pinks, blue, gray and tan, \$2.75 and \$3.00.

Teddy Bear crib blankets—nothing will please the baby more; in individual boxes, pink and blue; price in easy reach, 85c.

LACE CURTAINS, in Nottingham, Fillet Cable, French Net, Brussels and Irish Point Nets, from 48c to \$35.00 a pair.

RUFFLED MUSLIN CURTAINS in plain and figured, 30c to \$5 a pair.

PORTIERES, in figured Armoures, Repp with Persian band trimming, Velours, Silk Frou Frou, and many other styles, \$2.50 to \$28.50 a pr.

COUCH COVERS, of Persian, Indian and Bagdad weaves and styles, with and without fringe, 60c to \$10.00 each.

ANATOLIAN PRAYER RUGS for table covers, soft French velvet, Persian prayer designs, 26x45 in., \$2.50 each.

ORIENTAL RUGS in the following makes: Hamidam, Daghestan, Kazaks, Karmanshahs, Mossouls, etc., all sizes. Prices ranging from \$6.00 to \$35.00 each.

TABLE LINEN makes an excellent Xmas gift. PATTERN CLOTHS of Irish, Flemish, Scotch and German linen, all sizes, \$2.50 to \$13.00. Napkins to match \$2.50 to \$15.00 a doz.

WOOL COATS, A most complete showing.

ONE PIECE DRESSES, A most complete assortment to select from, in cloth and silk, range of sizes and colors unbroken \$10.00 to \$30.00 each.

Brail Jersey dresses, fancy braided broadcloth, serge or silk skirts, in the new colors, \$2.00 to \$30.00 each. Silk and Viole dress skirts, \$10.00 to \$20.00. See garments going. Sharp reductions.

NEEDLE CASES, full assortment of needles, tape runners, etc., 15c to \$5.00 each.

JEWEL BAGS, fancy silk lined 25c and 50c each.

Special Pattern Table Cloth

Homstitched all around, size 2x2½ yds.; made of fine union damask, free from starch; regular \$1.85 article bought under-priced; special for the holidays, \$1.48.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Robena Ercanbrack.
Last Sunday at her home in Chicago, Mrs. Robena Ercanbrack, for many years a resident of the town of Harmony and a sister of Peter Jamieson of this city, passed quietly away. Mrs. Ercanbrack was born August 28, 1846 in the town of Harmony and resided there until her marriage to P. J. Ercanbrack thirty-seven years ago. Since then the greater part of her life has been spent in Chicago. Besides Mr. Jamieson there are a number of other relatives living in this city and a host of friends who will mourn her loss. The funeral will be held at her late home in Chicago this afternoon at two o'clock. The body will be brought to Janesville tomorrow morning at 11:20 and will be immediately taken to the cemetery at Mt. Zion for interment there.

Mary Agnes King.
From the late residence, 17 Sinclair street, the funeral services for Mary Agnes King were held this morning conducted by Rev. John McKinnon. The casket was covered with many beautiful floral tokens. Interment was in Oak Hill cemetery.

Stephen Hatching.
The obsequies of the late Stephen Hatching were held from the home, 314 South Main Street this afternoon at two o'clock. The services which were private were conducted by Joseph Temple. The remains were laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Edward Poonichen.
The funeral of Mrs. Edward Poonichen was held this afternoon at two o'clock from the home 841 Sutherland avenue. Rev. W. P. Christy officiated at the services which were attended by many relatives and friends of the deceased. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. The body was interred in Oak Hill cemetery.

GRAND JURY INDICT ARBUCKLE EMPLOYEES

They Are Charged with Bribing Government Weighers to Report Short Weights.

New York, Dec. 21.—The federal grand jury which is investigating the sugar frauds has handed down a number of new indictments directed against former employees of the Arbuckle company.

Bench warrants have been issued and as soon as the men are arrested the names will be made public. It is stated that in the case of the frauds in the Arbuckle refinery there was no manipulation of the scales, the method employed there being simple bribery of government weighers to have them report short weights.

The report that Richard Parr, the treasury agent, who unearthed the sugar frauds on November 2, 1907, was to get \$1,000,000 of the \$2,135,486 collected from the sugar trust was denied at the office of Collector Loeb.

Boise, Idaho, Dec. 21.—Five indictments on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government by the sale of water rights were returned here by the federal grand jury, which has been investigating the affairs of the Great Western Beet Sugar Company, a defunct corporation.

Threats of death by poison and violence against Richard Parr, contained in a letter given out by him and received, he says, on December 11, The letter follows:

"The editor of the Sun died suddenly. Some prominent men in the customs died suddenly. You have taken suddenly ill. Beware of poison."
(Signed)

Mr. Parr was in fact taken suddenly ill during the recent trial of six former employees of the company a day or two before the letter was written. His illness was supposed to be an affection of the nerves.

Wisdom in Confession.
Confession of our faults is the next thing to innocence.—Publius Syrus.

CLERKS DIE IN FIRE WHILE CUSTOMERS ESCAPE

London Department Store Crowded with Christmas Buyers Suffers a \$2,500,000 Fire.

London, Dec. 21.—Fire which destroyed the big drapery store of Arding & Hobbs, at Chapham, a southwestern quarter of London, cost the lives of three clerks and injured many persons, some seriously.

The fire was due, it is believed, to the breaking of an electric light bulb among celluloid articles.

The store, which covered an acre of ground and had five floors and a hundred departments, was crowded with Christmas shoppers. In little more than an hour the building was a mass of ruins. The damage is estimated at \$2,500,000.

All the customers made their way to the street in safety. The 300 employees followed them. The progress of the flames, which was assisted by the Christmas decorations and festoons, was so rapid that some of the employees were caught in the upper floors.

One girl fell from the second floor and was killed. Two men then jumped and lost their lives.

WOMAN SAVES OFFICER'S LIFE. Helps Husband Capture Burglar When His Life Is Endangered.

New York, Dec. 21.—Mrs. Dorothy Golden saved her husband, William Golden, from almost certain death when Golden was attacked by three burglars in a general merchandise store at Farmingdale, L. I.

When the light ended one burglar was shot, a second was unconscious and Mrs. Golden was standing over him with a club in her hand, while the third had made good his escape.

Golden is a deputy sheriff. He and his wife were passing the store when they noticed the robbers at work. Golden entered and told the burglars they were under arrest. He was knocked down and being badly beaten when his wife came to his aid, wielding a heavy walking stick. She knocked one robber senseless and half stunned the other two. They both attempted to escape, but one was shot down by Golden.

PASS 3-CENT FARE ORDINANCE Cleveland Councilmen Renew Car Line Franchise Conditionally.

Cleveland, Dec. 21.—The Johnson administration sprang a surprise on the public when an ordinance granting renewals of many existing street railway franchises was introduced in the council and passed under a suspension of the rules.

The franchisees provide for 3-cent fares and penny transfers. They expire automatically June 1, 1910. This action, taken two days after a blanket ordinance had been passed granting a 25-year renewal of the Cleveland Railway Company's rights on all its lines at a maximum fare of four cents and seven tickets for a quarter, met with the vigorous disapproval of Republican councilmen, who protested in vain, however.

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DOYLIES
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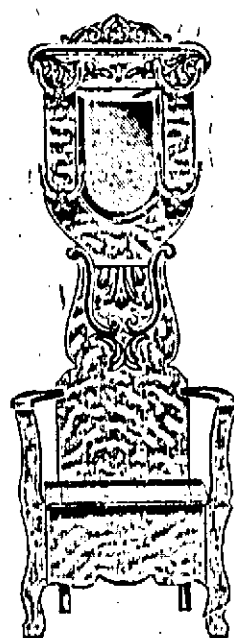
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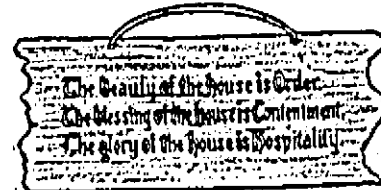


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Large Potted Boston Ferns,
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Some of these ferns have a
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Priced special at 50c each.
Christmas novelties in
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We make prompt and accurate
deliveries.
BOTH PHONES.
Street car passes our door.These candy
tablets do just as
much as salts or calo-
mel. But Cascarets never
create a continuous need, as
harsh cathartics do. Take one
just as soon as the trouble
appears, and in an hour it's over.Vest-pocket box, 18 cents at drug stores. 25c
Each tablet of the genuine is marked C. C. C.

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(Kl-ro-prak-tor)

How come into the lives of a great
many who, dis-
courage in a
vain search
among drugs and
medicines for new
health, come to
the Chiropractor.
If you belong to
the army of
health seekers
don't waste time
chasing a phan-
tom but come di-
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practor.RAYMOND PUDDICOMBE
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As the rose breatheth sweetness
from its own nature, so the heart of
a benevolent man produceth good
works.—R. Dodsley.

WOMAN'S PAGE

The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON

I DON'T take any more time to do a thing now than it does to do it
three weeks from now.

Promptness is a very big element in the value of a favor.

There is a person who is always glad to do any favor for his
friends but who is so far about attending to it that he often halves
or even entirely does away with the value of his kind act.

Are YOU that person?

"Yes," she wrote a very nice piece for the church paper. I heard some-
one say of a girl who had been asked to contribute an article towards a
church entertainment program, "but she was so tardy about getting it done that she upset the publication of the whole thing. Next year we are going to ask a girl who may not write such a clever article but who, we are sure, will get it done on time."When anyone asks you to do anything for him, if
you possibly can go and do it straightaway you will make
your kindness twice as worth while.There was one girl at college whom I would rather
have on a committee with me than any of the rest. It
was not that Eleanor had any more ideas than the others.
It was not that she was any more clever than they.
It was simply that if you asked her to do anything she
did not wait until the last possible moment, but did it at
once.I remember one occasion when she was on a dance
committee which decided that each of its members should squeeze a dozen
lemons for the lunch.The dance was not to take place for two weeks, but the day after the
committee made that decision Eleanor appeared on the scene of action
with her lemon juice and sugar in a preservative jar.

When I marvelled at her promptness she explained:

"It is off my mind and yours. It didn't take me any more time than it
would have at the last moment, and I won't have to waste any time dream-
ing it."A queer old philosopher of a man once pointed to his house and said
to me, "If it weren't for one man that house wouldn't be built yet. I
wanted to build a house and I wanted a man to help me. Several men
came to me asking for work and I asked them when they could come to
work, and they said 'Tomorrow.' But there is no such day as tomorrow, so
I didn't employ any of them. Then one day a man came, and when I asked
him when he could come to work he said 'Today,' and that's how the house
got built."

That is the kind of spirit we need more of.

The girl who brought me the lemon juice within twenty-four hours of
my request for it was the kind of a girl who could "carry a message to Garcia."And the people who promise favors readily but put off their obligations
until the latest possible moment and attend to them of necessity, hastily
and insufficiently, and only after having been reminded of them, are the
people who could never be trusted to "carry a message to Garcia."

Which kind are YOU?

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS.

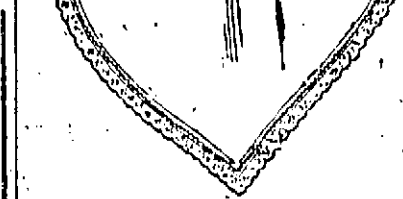
By MARGARET DRYDEN.

Charming dish aprons are always ac-
ceptable. They should be of very
sheer lawn and lace and run with the
most delicate shades of ribbon. The
delicately flowered organdies make
aprons that need no further ornamenta-
tion than a frill of lace. They may
be cut in heart shape and fastened to
a ribbon girdle.

A Heart-Shaped Apron.

A prettier apron than that made of
organdy is made of 24 inches square ofIf the gift is intended for one who is
about to become a bride a little touch
of sentiment may be introduced by
embroidering true love knots about
the edge. These may be done in
shadow work very quickly, but if a
daintier effect is desired it should be
done in the satin stem stitch.No pocket is necessary on a charming
dish apron.

An Apron Made of a Towel.

A fine wide damask towel having a
heavy fringe is chosen for this apron.
An all white towel is better than one
with a colored border. Cut one-fourthfine white lawn, three yards of nar-
row lace and two yards of insertion to
match. Cut the apron heart shaped
and roll and whip the edge. Sew the
insertion on carefully so as not to mar
the outline. After the insertion is
whipped on lay the apron flat and then
carefully draw the thread in the outer
edge to make the insertion lie perfect-
ly flat. The edging of lace may be put
on as a ruffle or very plainly. A head-
ing may be used instead of the inser-
tion in which case the narrow satin
ribbon should be run through. The
belt should be of soft ribbon to match.

DO YOU FEEL LIKE THIS?

Does your head ache or simply feel heavy
and uncomfortable? Does your back ache?
Does your side ache? In you feel jagged
and stiff? The tonic laxative here known as
Lange's Family Medicine will clear your
head, remove the pain in side or back and
restore your strength. Nothing else is so
good for the stomach and bowels. At drug
stores and dealers, 25c.of the towel off and hem the raw
edge, using the roll and whip if possi-
ble. Crochet over this edge in single
stitch and then go back with a row
of triple stitch to make a heading.
Mercerized cotton should be used for
this work. The piece cut off should
have the raw edge hemstitched and
then be placed along the lower edge
of the apron and stitched on with brier
stitch. Two rows of brier stitching
will separate it into three pockets.
The fringe will mingle with that be-
low and make a fine heavy finish. A
ribbon run through the crocheted head-
ing forms the bow.A One-Piece Apron for a Child.
Mercerized poplin makes a more
serviceable apron for a child than the
thinner materials. A piece of pierce-
rized poplin 60 inches long may be
doubled and having the width of the
child's chest a one-piece apron cut like
the picture. The small straps under
the arms and all the edges may be
buttonholed with mercerized cotton.
If a particularly Christmasy garment
is desired a border of the red cotton
that will stand boiling is pretty.For a Little Cook.
Two widths of white goods as long
as you wish the apron to be. Cut up
the back and sew up the sides within
three inches of the top. Cut a halfcircle at the top edge of the seam and
gather each top edge to a band. Small
straps to go over the shoulders and an
inch hem at the bottom finish the
apron. If a dainty cap and oversleeve
are added the small cook will swell
with pride when she goes back to
school.The severely tailored shirt and
those in tailored style, but slightly
modified by the use of hand embroidery
or lace—as the one above—have
almost entirely superseded the long-
popular lingerie type. The drawing
shows a smart blouse of white linen,
fine with sufficient body to give it the
tailor crispness. On either side of the
center box pleat—which, by the by,
is closed by crocheted buttons—the lin-
en is laid in groups of narrow tucks,
separated by entire rows of tiny tucks.
The first group runs the entire length
of the blouse, the second stopping at
yoke depth. The lace is inserted also
into the high turn-down collar and the
cuff.TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets.
Druggists refund money if it fails to cure.
E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box.
25c.MOUNT PLEASANT.
Mount Pleasant, Dec. 20.—Mr. and
Mrs. E. M. Nolan spent Sunday with
her parents in Dunkirk.Quite a number from here attended
confirmation exercises at Edgerton
last week at the Catholic church.
M. J. Dovan and sister were Stoun-
ton visitors on Tuesday last week.
Will Murphy of Stoughton was a
pleasant visitor here on Saturday of
last week.Mr. and Mrs. George Thornton
spent Tuesday evening at E. M. Na-
lan's.Quite a number of neighbors attend-
ed the last card party which was held
at the home of James Burns. The
first prizes were won by Grace Dav-
ine and Robert Lovick and the con-
solation went to Mrs. H. Loran and M.
J. Dovan. Everybody had a fine time.
Miss Susan Loran is home from
school in Edgerton for a two weeks'
vacation.James Burns spent Tuesday in
Stoughton.The third of the series of card par-
ties was held at the home of Will
Connors on December 8. Although it
was a cold night a good crowd was
present and everyone seemed to enjoy
themselves. Margaret Mulvey and M.
J. Dovan won first prize and the con-
solation went to Mary Fredendall and
Vincent Murray.Save money—read advertisements
what to give as gifts.

NOTHING REMARKABLE.

The Mayor—Just think, admiral,
I've married 20 people in two hours.
The Admiral—Well, that's only ten
knots an hour.

HAIRLESS.

Magistrate—After what the witness
has said against you, it is apparent
that you are a dangerous rogue, and
your conscience must be as black as
your hair.Swoll Skanker (in the dock)—Then
you, sir, must be devoid of all con-
science.The advertisements will suggest
what to give as gifts.The Cause of Many
Sudden Deaths.There is a disease prevailing in this
country most dangerous because so decep-
tive. Many sudden
deaths are caused
by it—heart dis-
ease, pneumonia,
heart failure or
apoplexy are often
the result of kid-
ney disease. If
kidney trouble is
allowed to advance
the kidneys poison
the blood will at-
tack the vital organs, causing catarrh
of the bladder, brick-dust or sediment
in the urine, head ache, back ache, lame
back, dizziness, sleeplessness, nervous-
ness, or the kidneys themselves break
down and waste away cell by cell.Bladder troubles almost always result
from a derangement of the kidneys and
better health in that organ is obtained
quickest by a proper treatment of the kid-
neys. Swamp-Root corrects inability to
hold urine and scaling pain in passing it,
and overcomes that unpleasant necessity
of being compelled to go often through-
out the day, and to get up many times during
the night. The mild and immediate effect
of Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy
is soon realized. It stands the highest be-
cause of its remarkable health restoring
properties. A trial will convince anyone.
Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and is
sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and
one-dollar size bottles. You may have a
sample bottle and a book that tells all
about it, both sent free by mail. Address,
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.
When writing mention reading this gen-
erous offer in this paper. Don't make
any mistake, but remember the name,
Swamp-Root, and don't let a dealer sell
you something in place of Swamp-Root—
if you do you will be disappointed.

WALL MIRRORS

Are Beautiful Gifts

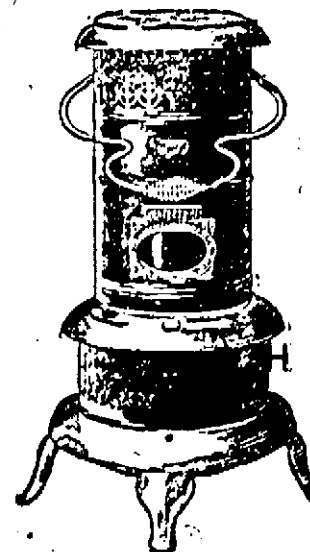
Large handsome French plate mirrors, fitted in frames of
gold, of Early English Oak, Mahogany, and the sanitary steel
frames nickel plated.Our showing this season is the most handsome ever shown
in Janesville.They are shown in oval and round shapes, square and panel
effects, in a range of sizes and patterns that fairly makes you won-
der at their beauty and richness.As a gift, a choice of any one of these mirrors would be very
acceptable. Priced \$3.00 and up.We invite your visit and inspection of our handsome displays
through our three floors of fine furniture and excellent gift
pieces, which we have gathered especially for this holiday season,
the largest and most moderately priced collection of "good" fur-
niture in Southern Wisconsin.

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Happy Time Ahead.
The young married man had been
on the road about a year. He had
just told his wife that the firm had
given him a position in the store and
he would not have to travel any more.
"Oh, won't that be fine, George," she
exclaimed. "Now we'll be married
again and settle down!"German Farm Land All Tilled.
There are no deserted farms in Ger-
many.Disregarding the Years.
Many men and women still busily
engaged in their respective lines are
living testimonials of the contention
that the years do not count as long as
enthusiasm and will power are pres-
ent to spur both brain and body to ac-
tion.Just as important.
A great deal is heard of the art of
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designs, beautiful electric clocks, cooking
and ironing apparatus, etc., etc., which
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ticles for gifts.
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ed to all—whether you intend to buy
or not.

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The advertisements will suggest
what to give as gifts.

**WIFE WILL STAY
HOME HEREAFTER**
CITY DADS PUT KIBOSH ON PHON-
OGRAPH BALLAD.
COMMISSION PLAN'S FATE

Will Be Decided by the Electors on
Tuesday, Jan. 11—Justice Done
to Dr. W. D. Merritt.
Aldermen Brown, Clark, Richardson
and Scott failed to appear at the city
hall last evening and a quorum of six
for the council meeting was not ob-
tained until after midnight. With
frequently changing members to their
light club and commission govern-
ment, the city fathers presently got
their session under way and transacted
the business of the meeting with
energy and dispatch.

Matters of Finance.
The finance committee's report on
bills and the salary list were adopted
and orders were passed authorizing
the mayor to borrow \$2,000 and place
the same to the credit of the general
fund and to borrow \$1,000 and place
the amount to the credit of the fire
and water fund. The street assess-
ment committee having reported that
the sum of \$500 was due, on the esti-
mate of Dec. 20, for work on the main
outlet sewer, after deducting previous
estimates and withholding 25 per cent,
the city clerk was directed to draw on
the treasurer for that amount, pay-
able to the First National bank, in
sign of the People's Construction
company, and chargeable to the main
outlet sewer fund.

Noise Eliminated.
Merchants and professional men of
the city of Janesville, including James
Zanous, proprietor of the Lyric, and
James Connors, owner of one of the
first moving picture shows established
in the city, filed a protest against
and petition for relief from "the contin-
uous, deafening, nerve-racking, con-
founded, useless, nonsensical, over-
lasting noise of the West Side five
cent theatres." Included among the
other thirty-two signers were: The
Hedger Drug Co., Dr. H. W. Edson,
W. J. Skelly, Hall & Hubbel, C. E.
Lacey, Mrs. M. E. Woodstock, Dudrick
Bros., J. P. Baker, T. E. Kennedy,
G. E. Fatzinger, Hall & Sayles, Pond
& Bailey, Dr. G. C. Waudin, Dr. M. A.
Cunningham, William Serivens, F. C.
Burpee, R. H. Barlow, W. T. Shorer,
Hert Van Houten, C. H. Dabbs, Little
& Bullock, W. O. Newhouse, E. O.
Schmidley, W. H. Frey, Mrs. Dan Cun-
ningham, J. G. Spillman, T. J. Lud-
low, John G. Bedford, Reliable Drug
Co., Frank George and D. J. Luby &
Co., Chairman J. J. Dulin of the ju-
dicial committee, to whom the peti-
tion was referred, moved that it be
accepted and that the city attorney be
instructed to notify the offending show-
men to stop the noise. The motion
was carried by unanimous vote. It
appears that "My Wife's Gone to the
Country, Hoory!" screeched over
and over and again by a squeaky
parody on Mr. Edison's great inven-
tion, is the piece which threatened
banker and doctor with nervous pro-
stration. Happily, the impish yowl at
domestic felicity is forever silenced,
or will be just as soon as Mr. Max-
field takes one swing at it.

Vote on Commission Plan.
At the instance of Ald. Kimball, an
order was passed calling for a special
election on the second Tuesday of
January, the 11th day of the month,
to decide upon the adoption or non-
adoption of the commission form of
government, as per request of a re-
quired number of the voters.

A Double Assessment.
Alderman Evans called attention to
the fact that Dr. W. D. Merritt had
been taxed in several different places,
notably the First and Fifth wards of
Janesville, for the same automobile
and on his motion the clerk was di-
rected to draw on the treasurer in
the sum of \$9.25, payable to the said
physician from the general fund as a
reimbursement for an erroneous Fifth
ward levy on personal property.

**STAMPS MAY BE PLACED ON
GIFTS SENT TO ENGLAND**
British Government Has Recalled
Edict Refusing Letters and
Packages Bearing Xmas
Stamps.
The Daily Bulletin issued by the
postoffice department and received at
the postoffice today by Postmaster
Valentine announced that Great Brit-
ain has removed the ban placed on
Christmas stamps, and that those de-
siring to put the red cross stamps on
packages to be sent to the United
Kingdom may do so. The British gov-
ernment issued an edict refusing to
receive packages or letters on which
the stamps were placed, as many peo-
ple put on the Christmas stamps but
forgot to place on the necessary
postage. The announcement comes
rather late, perhaps, for Janesville
people.

**HELD A SPECIAL MEETING
FOR ELECTION OF OFFICERS**
Ladies of Footville Eastern Star Met
Last Tuesday and Chose Officers
for Coming Year.
[Special to this Gazette.]
Footville, Dec. 20.—At the special
meeting of the Eastern Star last
Tuesday evening the following officers
were elected: Worthy Matron, Flor-
ence Fraser; Worthy Patron, Edson
Brown; Asso. Matron, Maude Lowry;
Conduetress, Avis Brown; Asso. Con-
duetress, Jennie Trevorrath; Sec.,
Frank Trevorrath; Treas., Lizzie Sil-
verthorn; Chap., Augusta Townsend.
Monday evening about sixteen un-
invited friends gathered at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Snyder to remind
them they had been married sixteen
years. A very enjoyable time was
spent by all.

M. W. A. Election
At the election of the M. W. A. of A.
last week the following officers were
elected: Ven. Consul, John Langdon;
Secretary, Adeline James; Murphy
Barker; John Devlin; Clerk, Frank
Lowry; Deacons, Durland Owen; Watch-
man, F. Stapleton; Sentry, Clayton
Wilson.
Our new bank expects to get started
next week.
Christmas trees at both churches
Friday, Dec. 24, at the M. E. church
in the afternoon and at the Christian
church at 7:30. Everyone cordially
invited.
Messames Herman Bush and Matt

Kennedy were Janesville visitors Sat-
urday and Sunday.
Prof. Williams left for his home in
the northern part of the state Sat-
urday to spend the holiday vacation.
Catholic Ladies Aid
Last Thursday Mrs. Kate Hutton en-
tertained the Catholic Ladies Aid at
the home of Mrs. Margaret Kennedy.
being election of officers the following
were chosen: Pres. Mrs. John Devlin;
Vice Pres., Mrs. W. J. Canary; Sec.,
Mrs. Frank Kinn; Treas., Mrs. Frank
Higginson.
Clarence Owen came home Monday
to spend his vacation.
Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Gore are moving
here from Madison.

**NOVELTY IN LINE OF A
CHRISTMAS DECORATION**
BY ELEANOR ALLYN.
"A Hoop of Joy is a pretty sub-
stitute for a Christmas tree. A large
wooden hoop is secured. The larger
the hoop the more beautiful it may be
made. After it is wound with green
candle it is suspended from the
chandelier by red and green ribbons.
This may be altered by substituting
silver or gold tinsel if the brighter ef-
fect is desired. The hoop is then
decorated with holly leaves and
with large numbers of berries. Orn-
aments on all the Christmas tree orna-
ments at our command and place the
very colored candles, cups, thickly
about the hoop. Use white candles
only and have them close enough to
make a ring of flame when lighted.
From the hoop have either ribbon or
strips cut from cambric or crepe pa-
per radiating to all parts.
Where the presents take the form of
large gifts of personal use part of
the fun may be had by winding long
colored cards from room to room until
it ends at the gift. Where an attic
room has been fitted up as a work
room with carpenter's bench and tools
this method was used and the card
so arranged as to be the last gift in
the pile at the place Christmas morn-
ing. All of the family followed the
excited boy in his search for the gift,
and participated in his joy.
A gift hunt will please an after-
noon party of children. The gifts
may be hidden wherever is conveni-
ent. The children should each receive
an envelope containing a verse direct-
ing them to some place of hiding. If
this place is wrapped in mystery, so
much the better. For instance, if the
next message is under an ash tray it
may be said to be beneath the wheel
of departed joy and so on as the
fancy may dictate. When the second
place is reached it should discover
another verse giving further direc-
tions. A time limit should be given
and if all are not discovered by that
time the hostess leads the delin-
quents to the gift. A prize for the
first to discover the gift and a bonus
prize adds to the fun.

Refreshments for the afternoon
party on Christmas day should be very
light and served early. Fruit and
sponge cake, with lemonade is a
delightful refreshment and one that
always pleases. Fruit punch and dairy
candy sandwiches are relished by
most children. The punch may be
simply lemonade with the addition of
grape juice and a few candied or
marinated cherries and slices of pineapple.
If the children are to stay to tea
then a more heavier menu should be
prepared.
A delightful way to end the day is
to take a ride to the home of
some friend and there have the lunch-
eon of hot cocoa and sandwiches, cake
and fruit and nuts. Hot fresh co-
coa is always a delight and if it is
sugared while the party lasts it is
the happiness is still greater. Dear
in mind that the roasting game should
come first and the quieter game
played just before the party starts for
the homeward ride or the result to
the overheard children may be disas-
trous.

**W. B. DAVIS ELECTED VENABLE
CONSUL OF MODERN WOODMEN**
Other Officers for Ensuing Year Cho-
sen at Meeting of Florence
Camp No. 365.
At a regular business meeting Flo-
rence Camp No. 365, Modern Woodmen
of America, elected officers for the
coming year as follows:
V. C.—W. B. Davis.
W. A.—F. W. Parker.
R. H.—O. L. Morse.
Clerk—J. W. Van Deynum.
Escort—R. A. Close.
Watchman—D. C. Schultz.
P. C.—P. D. Donnelly.

LETTER LIST
LADIES—Mrs. Michael Callahan,
Jennie Campbell, Miss Blanche Pen-
nington, Mrs. C. Gerlie, Miss Harriet
Holbrook, Miss B. Hill, Adie Koster,
Miss Della Knox, Mrs. Emily Lead-
er, Miss Frank Lewis, Miss Anna
Lynch, Mary Murellan, Mrs. Cora
E. O'Brien, Mrs. Geo. S. Sablin, Miss
Ella Stank, Miss Doris Thummeson,
Miss Irma Wilson.
GENTLEMEN—J. A. Allen, Bruce
Baird, Friedrich Bayer, Ed Bogon-
schütz, Joe Broderick, Geo. Broughton,
Fred W. Bush, John Christopherson, C.
M. Clark, John Connors, Will Darden,
W. M. Dyer, Jim Garrison, Carl
Grand (2), John Graw, Archie Hil-
dred, P. Jenkins, M. O. Malloy,
George W. Rhodes, Salvatore Rigid,
Charles Samuels, Robert H. Schell, F.
Standall, W. C. Valentine, John L.
Walker, Edw. Walchliacker, Ward
Williams, John L. Wheeler.
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Janesville, Wis., Dec. 22, 1939.

**SOCIAL EVENTS IN TOWN
OF NEWARK LAST WEEK**
[SPECIAL TO THIS GAZETTE.]
Newark, Dec. 20.—About thirty
friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kelly,
Jr., gave them a very pleasant surprise
last Wednesday evening by dropping
in on them and spending the evening.
The time was spent socially.
Mrs. J. Irish and daughter, Mary,
were given a surprise last Tuesday
evening by about twenty-five of their
friends. Mrs. Irish and daughter ex-
pected to move to Beloit the first of
the year having rented their farm to
Jim Carroll.
Harry Greenwood of Beloit is the
guest of his aunt, Mrs. L. B. Mead.
Mr. and Mrs. Ole Veek and family
spent Wednesday evening with C. H.
Logan and family.
The Avon M. E. church will hold
their Xmas tree Thursday evening in
the Avon hall. Supper will be served

in the annex. A good program is
being prepared.
The Misses Ida and Emma Weber
were the guests of Mrs. O. G. Cox
Saturday and Sunday.
**FIRE AT FAIRBANKS SHOP
IN DELOIT CAUSES ALARM**
Small Fire in Plant Caused Some Ap-
prehension on Account of Ring-
ing of Fire Bells at
Works.
[SPECIAL TO THIS GAZETTE.]
Beloit, Wis., Dec. 20.—A small fire
in the Fairbanks-Morse plant at 11:30
last night alarmed the city as the fire
alarm of the shops was sounded.
There was but a trifling loss.
"Good Fellow" Club
The "Good Fellow" spirit has caught
the city and many persons are inter-
esting themselves in the children of
the city who may have their hearts
gladdened by a Christmas gift. A
"Good Fellow" club has been formed
among the shoppers of the Fairbanks-
Morse plant and money has been
devoted to the purchase of the treas-
ure for Christmas good cheer purposes.
The Deloit Poultry and Corn club's
exhibition which closed Saturday, is
pronounced by all interested as a
success.
Dr. Samuel Bell of this city was
among the hundreds of physicians of
the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul
company who attended the conference
of the doctors at Excelsior Springs,
Mo., last week. While at the confer-
ence the physicians attended a ban-
quet at the hotel "The Elms," which
is owned in part by the St. Paul road.
The women were called out by a
still alarm last night because of a
small fire at the residence of Robert
Telfer on Locust street.

**ELECTION BY CAINVILLE
CENTER ROYAL NEIGHBORS**
Officers for Year Were Chosen at the
Last Regular Meeting of the
Society.
Cainville Center, Dec. 20.—At the
last regular meeting of the Royal
Neighbors the following officers were
elected for the coming year: Oracle,
Mrs. J. Cole; vice oracle, Emma Bon-
net; recorder, Gusdo Townsend; re-
ceiver, Alice Clarke; chancellor, Em-
ma Andrew; marshal, Ada Thompson;
inside sentinel, Florence Wolcott; out-
side sentinel, Edna McCoy; manager
for three years, Belle Townsend. El-
fin Ashmun will fill the unexpired
term of two years, vacated by Mrs.
Novell.
The Magnolia Woodmen entertained
guests from Albany and Evansville
Saturday evening and a general good
time was had by all present.
Mrs. Ryan moved her household
goods to Janesville where she will
make her home with her daughter,
Mrs. McGowan.

The Modern Woodmen elected the
following officers for the coming year
at their last meeting: V. consul,
Tom Moody; advisor, Antonio Cole;
clerk, John Trout; banker, Robert
Frazier; escort, Fred Woodstock;
watchman, H. Townsend; sentry, Hans
Hanson.
Roy Townsend was up from Beloit
over Sunday.
Wallace Andrew had the good luck
to find his gold watch where it had
lain all night in the snow.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller were as-
tounded and Sunday visitors at the home
of George Townsend.
Alto Carpenter is shipping his house-
hold goods to Delavan where they will
make their future home.
Geo. Brigham is taking in stock at
this station today.
Blighing is very good at the pres-
ent writing.
Those that failed to attend the H.
L. club Thursday missed a good time.
David Ashmun of South Dakota is
greeting old friends at this place.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lovzow and
daughter attended Sunday morning
services at the A. C. church.

UTTERS CORNERS
Utters Corners, Dec. 20.—Mr. and
Mrs. Buckholz and son, Frank,
of Hobron, Neb., visited at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Roe from Tues-
day until Thursday morning, when
they took the cars for Janesville to
spend the day at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Geo. Rogers. They started on
the evening train for Nebraska, Aug-
ust Kreger of Milton Junction was
also a visitor Tuesday and Mr. and
Mrs. Otto Burg visited at the Roe
home on Wednesday.
Wm. Toetshorn has concluded to go
out of the sheep industry for a time
and has disposed of his entire flock.
O. B. Roe attended an auction at
Richmond Wednesday and reports sale
of all kinds as selling rather high.
Zull and Shepherd have sold what
is known as the Town Line cemetery.
The new firm is Stewart and Cameron.
The latter will be the butcher-maker.
What the new firm will do has not been learned.
McLane, who has not been learned,
but it is hoped that and his wife
will remain here.
Charles Golden of Jefferson of the
firm of Golden, Froimander and Lar-
vey was at the Springfield ceremony
on business Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Roe and
daughter and Mr. and Mrs. B. W.
Farnsworth and daughter were very
pleasantly entertained at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hull, Sunday after-
noon.
Miss Irene Kyle closed her school
in district No. 11 Friday for the hol-
iday vacation. She made her pupils
happy by giving each a pretty Christ-
mas gift and the children reciprocated
by giving her a nice present.
Harry Paul purchased a fine span
of horses Saturday.
Miss Emma Hill and pupils are pre-
paring for a Christmas tree at the
schoolhouse in the Mack district De-
cember 24th.
Traveling has been on elevated
roads the past few days, but with the
thermometer at 12 degrees below
zero and the snow 12 feet deep it is
not much enjoyed.
Albert Shields and family spent
Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Paul Schultz.
The Kosherke family entertained a
gentleman friend from Hebron last
week.
The state inspector was looking
through the barns in this locality last
week and in some instances made
some suggestions, but no serious com-
plaints were made.

Why Women Marry.
"Do women marry for a home?"
asks the New York World. No; just
for an apartment.

**RESTS IN THE ARMS
OF THE OLD MOON**
Strange Sights Seen in the Heavens
These Winter
Nights.
Folks who have observed the heav-
ens closely these clear nights no doubt
have wondered that they can see the
faint outline of the full moon just be-
yond the crescent-shaped new moon.
This is not an optical illusion, accord-
ing to the astronomers. The phenom-
enon is known as the "old moon in
the arms of the new." There is nothing
particularly remarkable about it.
At this season, when the atmosphere
is very clear, one can see many of the
phenomena of the sky with the naked
eye which are only visible with a tel-
escopic at other seasons. The moon is
now a beautiful crescent, but if
you look closely you can see the faint
outline of the old moon.

The clear, cold nights of the past
week have offered splendid opportu-
nities for observing the wonders of the
heavens. It has long been a matter
of wonder why people do not take a
deeper interest in the study of astron-
omy. No science affords so much
pleasure to the senses, as well as to
the intellect, as the study of the eter-
nal stars above. At this season of
the year one scarcely needs the as-
sistance of a telescope to realize the
vastness and the beauty of the mil-
lions on millions of planets, moving
according to a sublimely organized
system.

**Early Shopping
Table of the Wife
Who used
STOVAMINE**


And it came to pass that the host
physician in our town became a dis-
ciple of Janesville the foolish enough to
tell his wife about it and she was
wiser enough to see its possibilities.
Now it also came to pass that the
wife became a Convert of the Early
Shopping Theory. Long ago she had
won Recognition in her set as a Pro-
gressive. She was the first to turn
to the new thought and succeed in
converting her husband to the Cause
last year. While she stroked his long-
some hair on the Top of his Marble
Pate, she told him he had Plenty of
Money if he only thought so.
If any Woman ever worked Auto
Suggestion overtime it was the Heroine
of this Little Yarn. She began on him
the latter part of August and by the
first of December he was in a recep-
tive mood. He tried it on the Plumb-
er, the Coat Man and the Tailor but
fully with varying degrees of Success.
He explained to his wife that her
Theory did not seem practical but
Again she smothered the lone-
some him and her Talk went. Two Weeks
before Christmas he parted with a
Hundred he didn't have and was
forced to borrow and she did her
Shopping Early.
The Note fell Due on December
First and this shattered the Physi-
cian's Belief in New Thought. Our
Heroine was a woman of Resources
but she was almost ready to give up in
Despair when Janesville appeared on
the scene. Her husband went Wild
over Stovamine the new Anesthetic.
Our clever wife being determined to
Shop Early, led her hand like a
Bridegroom's Whist Expert. She stole a
bottle of Stovamine and with the Dear
Husband was sleeping. Peacefully
poured a Drop of it on his long-
some hair. A smile crept over the
dear Creature's Face as wife grasped
his Trousers firmly in the Right Hand
insisting the Left in the Pocket. The
Husband moved slightly and then con-
scious of all that was going on: Was
he Angry? Not a bit.
"Help Yourself, you Dearest One,
It don't hurt a bit," he said.
"Of course not Henry," she replied;
"This is known as the Painless Ex-
traction."
Moral: If your Husband will not
give you the Cash to shop early, try
Stovamine or a club.

There is more Cancer in this section of
the country than all other diseases put to-
gether, and until the last few years was
supposed to be incurable. For a great
many years doctors pronounced it a local
disease and prescribed local remedies, and
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day, Dec. 29, 1939, for the purpose of
electing officers and directors for the
coming year and for such other busi-
ness as may come before such meet-
ing.
Dated Dec. 22, 1939.
C. H. GAGE,
Secretary.

Women and Hospitals.
Every doctor knows the utility of
trying to make a woman take the rest
cure in her own home. She may have
every convenience and comfort neces-
sary and all the required time to
spare, but her soul yearns for the pro-
fessional stir of hospital life, the ad-
vance of doctors and nurses and the
unfamiliarity of surroundings and rou-
tine.
Walking in the Dark.
It is curious how many people ac-
quire black eyes by walking carelessly
around in the dark. Since bruised
eyes may cause serious trouble, some
precaution such as the following
would be quite worth while: When
walking in the dark in unaccustomed
places always raise the arm to about
the level of the nose and keep it bent
there to protect the face and chest.

OFFICIAL NOTICE.
Annual Taxes.
Published by authority of the Common
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Office of the City Treasurer
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 20, 1939.
To Whom It May Concern:
The tax rolls and warrant for the collec-
tion of the state, county and city taxes
for the year 1939 are now in my hands for
collection; and all persons interested are
requested to make payment thereof at the
office of the city treasurer in the city of
Janesville on or before January 31st, 1940,
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tailor's bill at that.

WELCOMES INQUIRY INTO THE TROUBLE

BALLINGER WANTS CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION INTO LAND CONTROVERSY.

DEPARTMENT RUN BY LAW

Secretary Issues Formal Statement Saying He Wants Evidence Which Formed Basis for Row with Pinchot Given Public Airings.

Washington, Dec. 21.—Secretary of the Interior Ballinger has issued a formal statement in which he says he would welcome a congressional investigation of the causes leading up to the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy which has prevailed throughout the United States for the past six months. He further states that if congress held an investigation the country would be fully convinced that his department had been always conducted in strict conformity with the law.

Secretary Ballinger now wants the evidence which formed the basis of his row with Chief Forester Pinchot to be given a public airing. He wants the administration of his friend, Commissioner of the Land Office Fred Dennett, to be subjected to congressional scrutiny. He states that he is convinced that a rigid examination of all the records of the controversy will place the administration of the land office in a thoroughly creditable light.

"The house will not investigate the land office or the causes of the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy."

This statement is by Representative John D. Russell of Pittsburgh. Mr. Russell is one of the Republican members of the rules committee which has the House resolution asking an investigation of the interior department's administration of public lands in Alaska. Mr. Russell, with Speaker Cannon and Representative Smith of Iowa, constitute the Republican majority of the committee.

MRS. STETSON RETURNS HOME.
She is Unaccompanied by Husband, Count Eulalie.

Philadelphia, Dec. 21.—Countess Eulalie, who was Mrs. John B. Stetson, wealthy widow of the hat manufacturer, has returned from Portugal without her husband.

At her beautiful country seat, "Isla," in Mikkim Park, the countess refused to see any but most intimate friends.

When her son, John B. Stetson, Jr., was asked if it were true that his mother contemplated a divorce, he referred the question to the Norristown counselor, N. H. Larzelle, and the latter decided that a divorce was contemplated.

The count and countess went abroad soon after the claims of Mrs. Josephine Knist of Chicago were made public.

Mrs. Knist said she had lifted the count from social obscurity and was instrumental in his marrying the wealthy widow. She said he promised to give her \$10,000 as soon as the wedding ceremony was performed.

To press her claim, she retained the services of Henry J. Scott of this city.

ARREST CHINESE TONG LEADERS.
Charged with Murder in Connection with Feud.

San Francisco, Dec. 21.—Tong King Chong, editor and publisher of the Chinese Free Press, secretary of the Society of Free Masons, the most powerful organization of Chinese in this country, and Dr. Sun Yt Sen, a revolutionary for whose capture the Peking government is said to have a standing offer for \$50,000, were arrested on indictment charging murder in connection with the feud between the Yee family and On Yick tong.

The fight arose over the elopement of How Gue, an On Yick slave girl, with a Yee family man. Eight murders have been committed and business in the Chinese quarters has suffered greatly because of the reign of terror brought on by the warring factions.

FORMER SENATOR HARRIS DIES.

Kansas Statesman Passes Away in Chicago by Heart Disease.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—William A. Harris, former United States senator from Kansas and three years ago Democratic candidate for governor of that state, died at the home of Mrs. Lydia M. Mackey, of heart disease.

Mr. Harris had been suffering with heart trouble for several years and during the past month his condition grew more serious. Arrangements have been made for sending the body to Lawrence, Kan., for interment.

Mr. Harris was born in Loudoun county, Virginia, 68 years ago, and moved to Kansas in 1865. He served in the confederate army in the civil war, being for three years assistant adjutant general and ordnance officer.

Demand for Trainmen Deferred.
New York, Dec. 21.—Although it had been expected that demands for increases in pay would be filed by representatives of 25,000 trainmen with the officials of eastern railroads, no notices of the demands were served on the companies by the brotherhoods.

Women Strike in Philadelphia.
Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 21.—More than 7,000 of the 12,000 shirt waist operators went on strike, according to reports received by the strikers' executive committee. About twenty firms are affected.

Up-to-Date Version.
A thing of beauty is a joy until the style changes.—Atlanta Journal.

BARONESS VAUGHAN QUILTS BELGIUM FOR FRANCE

Leaves of Her Own Accord, Princess Louise Triumphant Enters City.

Brussels, Dec. 21.—Baroness Vaughan, the morganatic wife of King Leopold, accepting the hint of the government that she would be expelled from the country if she did not depart voluntarily, left Belgium quietly.

The baroness packed up those magnificent furnishings of her chateau which were the personal gifts of King Leopold and forwarded them across the frontier. She herself took a train for France.

Prince Albert's happy plan to reunite the exiled and separated family was fulfilled. An Baroness Vaughan passed out forever from Belgian life, Princess Louise triumphantly entered the city and was officially greeted at the station and acclaimed by the people. She was conducted with royal honors to the Chateau de Bellevue, which henceforth will be her official home.

A vast crowd viewed the body of the late king. Many of the people who came in from the provinces were incensed that the gates were closed at three o'clock and they tried to force an entrance. In the panic people were trodden on, garments were torn and women fainted. Quite a number were injured. Finally the palace was reopened and the visitors were allowed to file past the catafalque.

TAFT ADDRESSES CONGRESS MEN.

Warns Them Against Doing Political Work as Enumerators.

Washington, Dec. 22.—President Taft's ringing address to the census supervisors from the eastern states, in conference here, was intended not only for them, but for all the other supervisors, for the candidates for enumerators' places, the politicians, and the world in general. He says:

"I am very glad to see you. You number about a third of the force upon which we have to rely to take the census. I expressed my opinion about the character of your duties when I wrote a letter to Mr. Durand. I did not write that letter just for the fun of having it published. I wrote it to be a genuine instruction to you, and I hope you will observe it. I know if you pursue it, it will be an easy course for you. If you don't observe it, then I will observe you. I know, of course, there will be pressure.

"Many of you—most of you—have been recommended by congressmen, and it may be that some of those congressmen will come to you and expect, because they did recommend you, that you owe them something in the way of selecting the men as enumerators who will help them in their congressional election. You have got to use sense and discretion. You have got to select the men that you think will do the work, and if you catch them doing political work, I wish you to remove them, just as I will remove you if I catch you doing political work. It is business.

"I am not quarreling with the congressmen. Each man is looking for all the aid he can get to get back into his place, and I am not objecting to the efforts in that direction. But you are the gentlemen that I want to make responsible, through Mr. Durand, for taking this census, and you are the gentlemen I rely upon, and if I can't rely upon you, then I am going to direct Mr. Durand to let me know about it, and I will see if I cannot help him out with somebody else.

"I take great pride in this census. I believe we can make it the best census that has been taken, if we take it as a census, and do not use it and regard it as an incidental to something else."

BANKER ALLEN'S WIFE JAILED.

She and Her Sister Are Charged with Conspiracy.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 21.—Mrs. Edith L. Allen, wife of Philip Allen, Jr., who wrecked the First National bank of Mineral Point, Mrs. Allen's sister, Miss Addie Jackson, stenographer and bookkeeper of the Redford Sash and Door Company of Chicago, and their brother-in-law, Guy Roe of Winona, Minn., president of the Union Fiber Company of that city, were arrested on complaint of United States District Attorney Gordon, charging them with conspiring to conceal property turned over to them by Allen since he was declared an involuntary bankrupt on November 26.

The defendants were arraigned before Commissioner Blake, pleaded not guilty and were bound over for their preliminary hearing on January 4. Unable to furnish bail of \$5,000 each they were committed to jail.

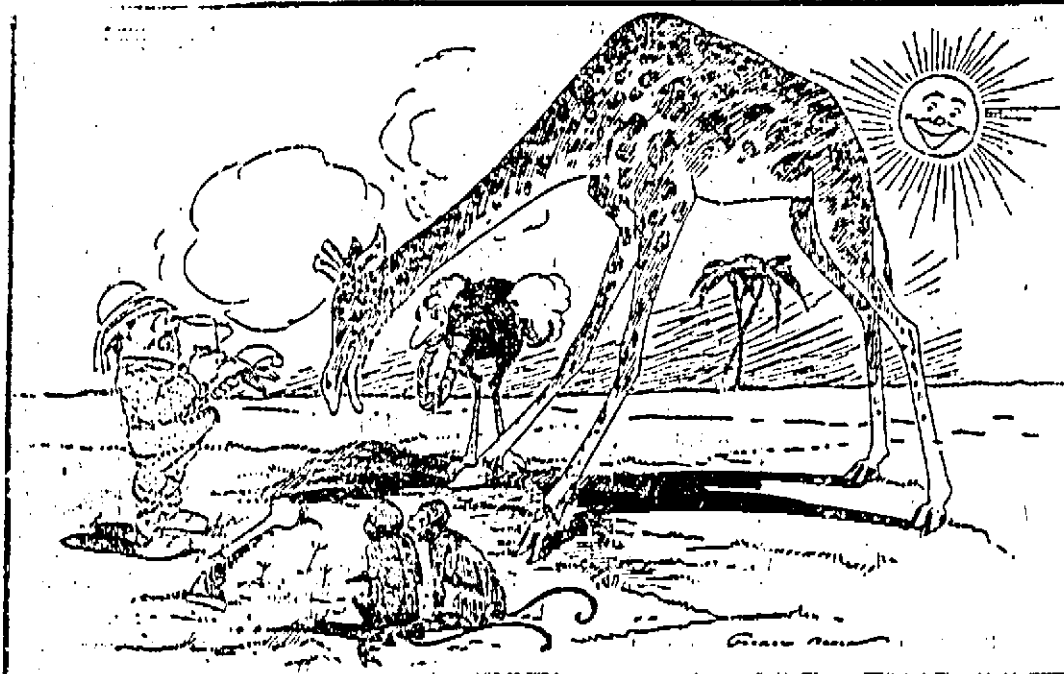
Wife Is Charged with Murder.

New Albany, Ind., Dec. 21.—Mrs. Pearl Armstrong was charged with the murder of her husband, George Armstrong, who died of carbolic acid poisoning. The woman was placed in jail. Conflicting statements made by Mrs. Armstrong and Florence Harris, a girl who lives at the Armstrong home, concerning Armstrong's death caused the arrest of the two. The girl declared, according to the police, that she saw Mrs. Armstrong give her husband six capsules filled with carbolic acid.

Mark Twain in Poor Health.

New York, Dec. 21.—Mark Twain was an arrival from Bermuda by the steamship Bermuda. Mr. Clemens did not seem in rugged health. He has spent a month in Bermuda, where he went because of an affection of his left lung.

Small Fortune for Trapper.
The skin of a black fox is worth \$1,000.



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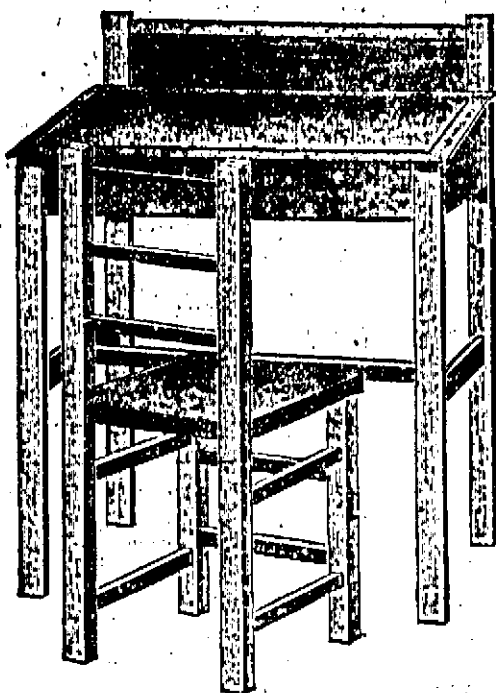
Very choice Castor Colored hat, roll brim, trimmed with eagle quills, silk crown. Originally \$12, now... \$5.00

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him a bit, and the man went on with his work until evening. It is scarcely necessary for us to say that the broken leg was a wooden one.

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Mr. Stephenson thinks more of Clipper Okaw than any other dog he owns and his kennel in Texas are said to be among the finest in the country, and he has not left him behind on his departure for the African wilds. He persuaded his friend, Fred Harrison

He ran down the companion ladder into his cabin and fetched thence a new and powerful glass, which, upon his return to the deck, he focused upon the distant point of light. By the aid of those powerful binoculars he made out what it was. It was a man of quick decision and purpose. He called the officer to him, pointed to the light, and handed the glass to the man in question.

"What do you make of that, Mr. Holtzman?"

"The officer took a quick look through the glasses, handed them back to their owner, and said laconically: "Land! Fire! Smoke, sir."

"Heard the yacht to that island at once."

"Very good, sir," said the officer, turning to the man at the wheel and ordering the helm to be put "port."

The yacht's bows swung slowly round until the island and the light were both dead ahead.

"Now, Mr. Holtzman," said Langford, when the maneuver was completed, "who is at the masthead?"

"I'll see, sir," answered the second officer, stepping forward.

"Bring him to me," said the owner as the officer turned away.

In a few moments the officer came back to the quarterdeck followed by one of the seamen. The man looked very much frightened, for Langford was in a towering passion, and when he was in a passion he was not a pleasant spectacle.

"Have you had your breakfast, Mr. Langford?" asked the captain, at last.

"Not yet."

"Then if you'll allow me, sir, I think you would better get it. We won't be within landing distance of that island again."

"Did you see that island yonder?" began the owner, fiercely.

"Answer me!"

"Yes, sir," said the man, desperately.

"You did?"

"Yes, sir."

"Why didn't you report it?"

The man hesitated, shifting from one foot to another, muttering something about a wild goose chase. Carried away by anger, Langford sprang at him, and would have done him bodily violence, had he not been quickly restrained by the second officer.

"Mr. Langford, sir," said Holtzman, grasping him tightly, "recover yourself, sir."

The check was sufficient.

"Go forward!" cried Langford, controlling himself with difficulty. "Mr. Holtzman, send for Capt. Harper."

"Very good, sir," answered the officer.

"And meanwhile you are to keep straight for that island until further orders."

In a few moments the old captain presented himself before the owner.

"Harper," began the young man, imperiously, "the lookout this morning deliberately failed to report that land, that island yonder. I want him disgraced and his pay stopped. Put him in the gig and set him ashore at the first civilized port."

"Very well, sir," said the old sailing master, not daring to remonstrate under such circumstances.

"Do you know that island?" continued Langford.

"No, sir," answered Harper. "I have never heard of it before."

"Harper," said the other, laying his hand upon the old man's arm, "it's our last chance. We are passing out of the region of these islands. If she be not there, we shall never find her."

"I am afraid not, sir."

"I have an idea that our quest is going to be successful this morning," returned Langford, eagerness flushing his thin face.

"I hope so, sir," answered the other. "There is somebody on the island, evidently, for they have lighted a fire. It might be a signal. It might be a sign of some kind."

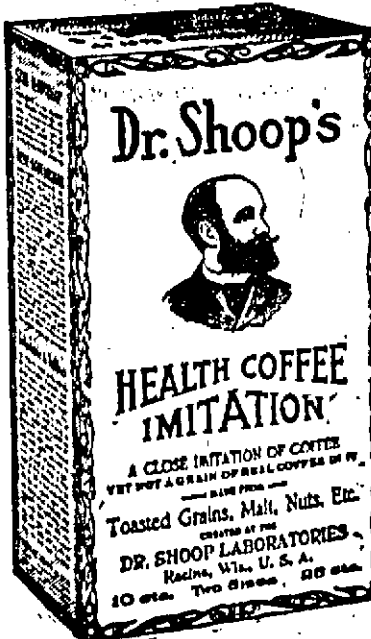
"It's not likely. Why should they signal a ship? And how should there be savages on a lonely island like this, 500 miles away from any other land? You may depend upon it, captain, 'tis some castaway who wants help, and why not she? Indeed, I am sure it

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must be."

Something of the man's confidence infected the old sailor. He took up the glass from where it lay on the cabin skylight and going forward studied the island.

"This one of those volcanic islands, I take it," he said as he came back. "It seems to be covered with trees. There is a hill rising from the midst of it. The fire is on the top. There should be an encircling reef round about it, and deep water up to the very barrier."

"Could you see anything else?"

"No, sir. No glass would reveal anything more at this distance. Try for yourself, Mr. Langford."

He handed the binoculars to the owner, but his own scrutiny revealed nothing more than the captain had told him.

"How are we going now?" he said, looking over the side.

"About eight, I should judge, sir," answered Harper.

"Let us have full speed until we get nearer."

"Very good, sir."

The captain turned and spoke a word to the second officer, who signaled to the engine room, and in a few moments the motion of the great vessel through the water was perceptibly accelerated.

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The man hesitated, shifting from one foot to another, muttering something about a wild goose chase. Carried away by anger, Langford sprang at him, and would have done him bodily violence, had he not been quickly restrained by the second officer.

"Mr. Langford, sir," said Holtzman, grasping him tightly, "recover yourself, sir."

The check was sufficient.

"Go forward!" cried Langford, controlling himself with difficulty. "Mr. Holtzman, send for Capt. Harper."

"Very good, sir," answered the officer.

"And meanwhile you are to keep straight for that island until further orders."

In a few moments the old captain presented himself before the owner.

"Harper," began the young man, imperiously, "the lookout this morning deliberately failed to report that land, that island yonder. I want him disgraced and his pay stopped. Put him in the gig and set him ashore at the first civilized port."

"Very well, sir," said the old sailing master, not daring to remonstrate under such circumstances.

"Do you know that island?" continued Langford.

"No, sir," answered Harper. "I have never heard of it before."

"Harper," said the other, laying his hand upon the old man's arm, "it's our last chance. We are passing out of the region of these islands. If she be not there, we shall never find her."

"I am afraid not, sir."

"I have an idea that our quest is going to be successful this morning," returned Langford, eagerness flushing his thin face.

"I hope so, sir," answered the other. "There is somebody on the island, evidently, for they have lighted a fire. It might be a signal. It might be a sign of some kind."

"It's not likely. Why should they signal a ship? And how should there be savages on a lonely island like this, 500 miles away from any other land? You may depend upon it, captain, 'tis some castaway who wants help, and why not she? Indeed, I am sure it

He focused upon the distant point of light.

For an hour or an hour and a half, in fact, we'll presently have to slow down. I don't like to dash in full tilt so near land through these unknown waters, and you will do well, sir, to go below and get a bite to eat."

"Your advice is good," said Langford, turning away and entering the cabin.

Never had man less appetite than he. Somehow, he could not tell why, he felt certain that this which would be his last attempt, would not prove fruitless; that his search hitherto unavailing would now be rewarded. He took time to re-examine the chart of those seas. It was quite possible he thought, for the woman to have made that particular island before them from the point at which she had left the ship. The more he studied it, the more sure he became. He forced himself to break his fast, but in a short time he was on deck once more.

The island was perceptibly nearer. Capt. Harper was forward staring through the glass. Running along the waist Langford joined him on the forecastle.

"Can you make out anything?" said the young man, catching the old one by the arm.

"Aye," was the answer.

"Is she there?" he asked, hoarsely, his heart in his mouth.

"There is a figure on the weather side of the fire yonder."

"A figure?" asked Langford, trembling so he could scarcely control himself. "Is it a woman?"

"I can't tell. It's too far off."

"Give me the glass."

"I make out another figure. There are two of them," returned Harper, slowly lowering the glass and handing it to Langford.

"Two!" cried the other, rapidly focusing the glass, disappointment in his tone which he strove to keep out of his heart. "You are right," he said at last, "there are two figures, but 'tis impossible to make them out."

He handed the glass back to the captain, who in his turn fixed it again upon the island.

"They are going down the hill," said Harper. "I have lost them among the trees. We are approaching swiftly," he continued. "Mr. Holtzman, half speed, if you please."

Bells rang below as Mr. Holtzman's Number.

"Be sure and part my hair evenly," said the old man in the barber's chair. "I fear that is impossible," replied the tonsorial artist, "as there are just 11 hairs here."

As to Mr. James.

"Good enough to be true is the New York Sun's story of a lady who had been reading a new novel by Henry James and sought to interest a friend in it. "What's it all about?" asked the friend. "Well, he hates to tell," was the reply.

Christmas gifts, men's fancy shirts, value \$1 at G.C. Reiberg's.

man rapidly set the indicator and the speed of the yacht was quickly checked. She still approached the island with sufficient rapidity, however, and after perhaps 15 minutes of easy going, Capt. Harper signaled her to stop, fearful of any nearer approach.

"What now?" asked the owner.

"I think we had better not chance it nearer, sir," said the captain. "It is not more than a half-mile to the shore. Shall I call away the launch, or will you be rowed?"

The launch was stowed amidships; the gig swung from the davits. It would be quicker to take the gig.

"I'll be rowed," said Langford. And in a moment the voice of the boatswain's mate could be heard calling away the crew. All hands were on deck. The conversation between the captain and the owner had been heard by many, and their terse communication to all. Consequently when the gig manned by six of the best oarsmen in the ship dropped alongside and Langford descended to the stern sheets and took the tiller in his hand, the crew spontaneously manned the rail and sent him off with three ringing cheers.

It did not take the men long to cover the distance between the motionless ship and the island. As they approached the latter, they perceived the barrier reef, which, unless they could find an opening, would effectually prevent their getting on the shore.

Langford swung the boat about at a judicious distance from the reef, over which the sea always broke with more or less force, and closely scrutinized the line of foam. The coxswain of the boat who rowed the stroke oar also followed with his eyes the jagged reef. It was he who detected the two figures on the beach of the island waving palm branches and apparently pointing. He called the attention of Langford to the figures, and suggested that the inhabitants were trying to show an opening through the barrier.

Following the indicated direction presently smooth water was discovered. Langford headed the boat for it. The men bent to their oars, and soon parted the quiet waters of the lagoon. The two figures stood in plain view upon the beach still too far for those in the boat to make out who they were. Langford could only see that one was taller than the other; that both were dressed in some sort of loose tunic that fell to the knees and left the arms bare. He was disappointed, and yet hopeful. The suspense was almost unbearable. The men were doing their utmost, seeing the anxiety in his face, but their utmost was too slow for the impatient man.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Poor Poel

A New York man has paid \$245 for the MS. of a parody of "The Raven." This, also, would greatly amuse Poel if he could know about it.

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For Bilious Attacks

Here is help for you. Your bilious attacks may be both prevented and relieved, but prevention is better than cure. The means are at your hand. When a dull headache, furred tongue, yellow cast to the eyes, inactive bowels, dizziness, or a sick stomach, warn you of a coming bilious attack, resort at once to

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which act almost instantly on the liver and bowels, and quickly regulate the flow of bile. A few doses of Beecham's Pills will correct the stomach, put the blood in order, relieve headache and tone the entire system.

For over sixty years, on land and sea, Beecham's Pills, by their safe and thorough action on the stomach, bile and bowels, have maintained their world-wide reputation as

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Thinking Pleasant Things.

Make yourselves hosts of pleasant thoughts. None of us yet knows, for none of us has been taught in early youth, what fairy palaces we may build of beautiful thoughts, proof against all adversity—bright fancies, antediluvian memories, noble histories, faithful sayings, treasure houses of precious and useful thoughts, which can not disturb, nor pain, nor gloom, nor poverty take away from our souls built without hands, for our souls to live in.—John Ruskin.

Some Irish History.

Ireland was inhabited before the dawn of history by Iberian (one of the original people of Spain) or pre-Aryan tribes like other parts of western Europe. Legends of Ireland record the successive invasion by five races, including Neomedians, Firbolgas, Tuatha, de Danann and Milesians. According to Irish legendary history the Milesians descend from King Milesius of Spain, whose two sons are said to have conquered Ireland, about 1300 B. C.

The advertisements will suggest what to give as gifts.

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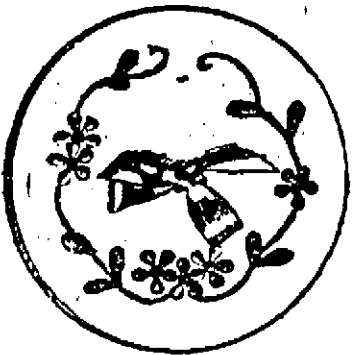
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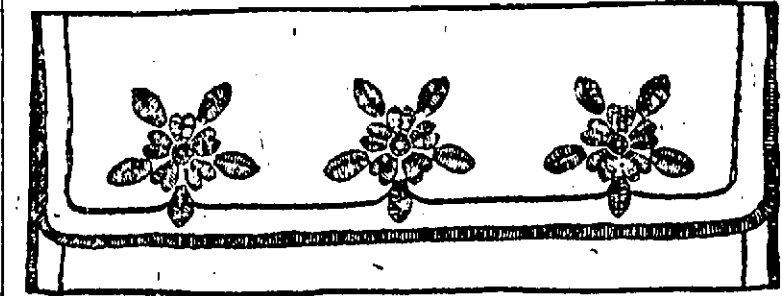
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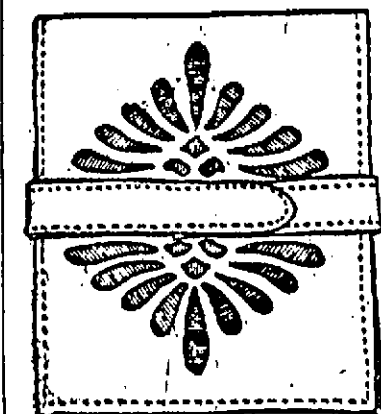


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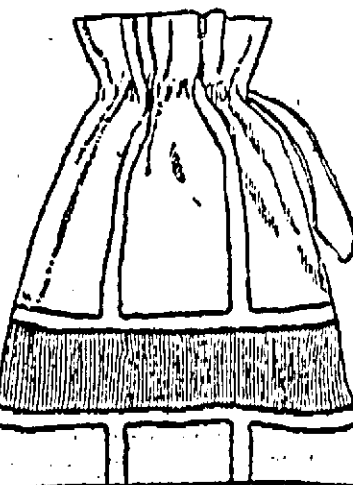


*** A Glove n Case.**

more attractive gift form than by inclosing them in an embroidered case like the above, which consists of two circular pieces of embroidered linen



A Wallet for Bills.



A Laundry Bag.

mounted over stiff cardboard. The circles are faced with silk the color of the ribbon, which fastens the covers and ribbon rolls together. This design might also be used for a pinball.

NICHOLS' STORE 32 South
Main St.

leaves green, with binding and bow of red ribbon.

Cover each side of the cardboard with the linen and stitch on the ribbon binding. Two pieces of white flannel with plinked edges are sewn in at the top to hold the safety pins. Pins of different sizes may be put into



the design and one piece is for the cover of the case, the other for the back.



It is an attractive little gift and would be thoroughly appreciated by women at home, as well as by the traveler.

A decorative floral ornament with a central diamond shape and symmetrical leaf-like patterns. The design is intricate, featuring a central diamond motif surrounded by stylized leaves and flowers. The entire ornament is enclosed within a circular border.

A cut-leather pen wiper is of golden brown onyx leather with underlay of satin. The satin is cut just large enough to cover the openings. A piece of channel is the shape of the leather top is then pasted over the satin, and there are two channel leaves enclosed


Don't Kiss the Baby.
An enterprising eastern manufacturer is turning out gold buttons bearing the warning words, "Don't Kiss me," and intended for babies whose mothers are afraid of germ contamination. Of course, however, the same buttons would do for young ladies who have the same fear and in case of a change of heart on special occasions they could place a finger over the first word of the motto.

Modern Business Manners.
In Jewish houses of worship persons who are in mourning arise at a certain time during the service and repeat the Kaddish. According to the Hebrew Standard, there are tradespeople for whom the mourners' prayer is no bar to business. In a recent issue the paper says: "The trustees of Temple Israel of Harlem, should suppress the individual who on Sabbath morning distributes pamphlets to those saying Kaddish, advertising the wares of a monument dealer."

Cost of Tuberculosis.
Tuberculosis costs \$1,000,000,000 a year in the loss of earnings through illness, in possible earnings stopped by death and in the expense of sickness. At least three-fourths of these costs are preventable. The cost of the disease must bear \$800,000,000 a year personally; the remaining \$140,000,000 fall upon the public.



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\$1.50 DOLL SPECIAL \$1.00
 21 inches high, full jointed kid body, sleeping eyes, real
 hair bisque head, value \$1.50, at **\$1.00.**
DOLLS IN GRAND DISPLAY

DOLE
Dolls, doll heads, doll bodies, dressed dolls and undressed dolls of all kinds.
Doll heads of china, of bisque and unbreakable metal, with and without hair, stationary and sleeping eyes, at 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and up.



Hair stuffed doll bodies, 25c, 50c, 75c.
 Undressed dolls, all sizes, with and without hair,
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 to \$2.00.
DRESSED DOLLS—Unequalled values in this
 line. We show dolls of every description. We have
 never shown as large an assortment and each is
 marked so as to offer the biggest value in the city.
 We are making a leader of this line and court com-
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 and \$1.00. Others up to \$3.00.
 Mamma Dolls, in Equimo skins, unbreakable
 faces. "Tip it up and it says 'Mamma,'" \$1.25
 Others without voice 60c.
 Full assortment of rag and rubber dolls, 5c, 10c

Collapsible Go-Carts || Iron Toys, 5c, 10c, 25c, 50c & U

Something new, just like the one mamma has for baby. Smelter and large enough for the largest wheels, all steel body, all points riveted, extra strong wheels, rubber tires, adjustable back, dash board. The greatest values on the market, \$1.00 to \$3.00. Doll carriages 25c, 50c, 75c. English doll preambles.

Games at 5c, 10c, 25c, 50c

Everything to entertain children and adults. Games that are new and all are fascinating. Target, games, parlor, baseball, little nemo, fluffy ruffles, lot-o, tiddle-de-winks, dominos, jack-straws, jig saw puzzle.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Jim Jeffries will fight Jack Johnson in an arena at Salt Lake City. "Tex" Rickard, who, with Cleason, is "the man behind the scenes" here, says so, and declares that the city will be the place where the fight will take place.

about will be held, Tex" stopped off here on his way, Nov., from New York, and immediately confided to his friend that the bout will be held, according to Rickard, it will be east of Salt Lake to construct an arena costing \$30,000. In this way he says it will not be necessary to charge exorbitant prices for seats in order to get back the purse and the other losses.

BRIEF RESPITE GIVEN WALSH.
Supreme Court Grants Ex-Banker 15

Day Stay.

Washington, Dec. 21.—John D. White, the Chicago banker over whose sentence of five years' imprisonment the government is now making, will be able at least to bring his Christmas turkey at home, in formal presentation to the state as court of the United States in competition for a writ of certiorari in that result if nothing more, the government was granted to it in which to reply and White may have five days more in which to send to the government.

One Miner Rescued Alive.
Arquette, Mich., Dec. 21.—Two or four men who were entombed in the Negamunee iron mine a week ago, a sudden run of mud were reached. Frank Condoello was found alive and Mr. Mundt dead.

Reading and Comprehending.
Thou mayst as well expect to grow stronger by always eating as wisel by always reading. Too much overcharges nature and turns more into disease than nourishment. 'Tis thought and digestion which make books as viceable as give health and vigor to the mind.—Buller.

Faithful to Wife's Memory.
It seems incredible that men should live in the tombs of their wives, yet there are several cases on record of men who have done this. Jonathan Reed, for instance, sat daily in a vault in Evergreen cemetery, New York, by the side of the coffin containing the remains of his wife.

INDUSTRY AND MECHANICS

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

More anthracite coal is shipped from Swansea, Wales, than from any other port in the world.

Blair furnace slag waste is being chemically treated in Great Britain for utilization as cement.

The Australian state of Victoria spends nearly \$500,000 a year in its warfare against the destructive rabbit.

The Austrian government is building automobile trucks designed to carry 20-ton guns at 18 per cent. grades.

A scaled injector may be cleaned by soaking in a solution of one part muriatic acid to nine of water until the scale is dissolved.

Cracks in floors may be neatly and permanently filled with a paste made from old newspapers, flour, alum and water, thoroughly boiled together.

A new hook for hanging up men's hats catches them by the brim in such a manner that they cannot be knocked off, besides economizing room.

Wooden pavements in Paris treated with a bath of alkalis, carbonates, and wood tar at a high temperature, are said not to need repairs more often than once in two years.

The artesian wells of Gulfport, Miss., a city of 10,000 population, are sufficiently powerful to drive the water through the pipes with pressure enough for ordinary fire-fighting purposes.

The spraying of diluted alcohol over calcium carbide produces a new gas known as alcoholidine, which is said to be a better and cheaper fuel than gasoline.

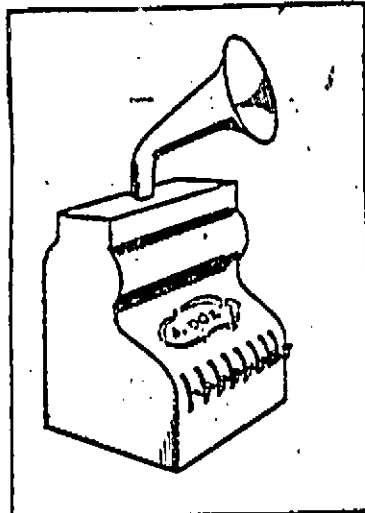
A Michigan company is trying out a horizontal smelter for iron ores, which is said to utilize all the heat, while upright smelters are said to lose over 75 per cent.

The University of California is about to try the experiment of raising grape fruit from trees imported from Anjou, China, said to produce the best fruit of the kind in the world.

CASH REGISTER THAT TALKS

Machine Not Only Records Amount of Sale, But Also Sings Out Amount—Tells of Bargains.

Something elaborate in the way of a cash register has been invented by a Minnesota man. His cash register not only rings up a sale and registers



Also Tells of Bargains.

the amount in figures, but sings it out. When the keys are touched for a sale at \$1.18 certain phonographic reproducers are released and the machine sings out: "One dollar and forty-eight cents! Thank you very kindly. I think you will find those goods satisfactory," or some other appropriate remarks. In addition to its novelty, this register has some very useful traits. For instance, in stores where clerks are disposed to line their own pockets and ring up the wrong amount for sales, such a machine would frustrate their plans by calling out the figures they had pressed. It might be put to further use by having a few records singing the praises of bargains in the various departments or making a few pleasant remarks about the weather and inviting customers to call again.

PROPERTY OF PRINTER'S INK

German Investigator Discovers It Gives Off Emanation Affecting Photographic Plates.

That printer's ink gives off an emanation that passes through opaque bodies and affects a photographic plate has been discovered by a German investigator. Photographic roll film is sometimes thus affected, through its celluloid cover, by the printed characters on the paper in which it is wrapped. The emanation is found to proceed from the oil in the ink during the drying process. It is not precisely the same as the emanation from radium and other radio active substances; for, unlike them, it changes gum arabic into a granular, insoluble substance. It was this effect produced on the gum of envelope flaps by the printed characters on the envelopes that first attracted the investigator's attention. The emanations are reflected by metal mirrors in the same way as light and they oxidize metal surfaces, which they strike. The exposure necessary to affect a sensitive plate is eight or ten days.

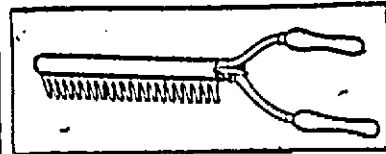
A First Impression. That all the world is weak, and to give one's pity is to discharge one's obligation.—Cleveland News.

COMB DRIES HAIR QUICKLY

Simple Device Does the Work in Same Space of Time Necessary to Arrange Coiffure.

Numerous devices for drying women's hair have been designed recently, the majority consisting of complicated electrical fans or contrivances, which proved perfectly satisfactory in every way, but entirely impractical in the ordinary home. Some simple arrangement, similar to the one recently devised, serves the purpose much better.

It consists of a combined comb and hair dryer, which, in appearance, closely resembles a pair of curling irons. The comb is metallic and has a hollow back, fitting into which is the heating iron. The latter is in two parts, forming a spring to hold it in place when slipped within



Hair Drier.

the hollow back of the comb, in using this hair dryer, the heating iron is held over a gas jet or other flame until hot and inserted into the comb.

The heat is transmitted to the teeth of the comb, drying the hair as the comb is drawn through it. With this device the hair can be very quickly and easily dried at the same time as the necessary operation of combing the hair.

CURIOUS FACTS ABOUT SAND

Pouring Water on the Little Dry Particles Causes Them to Cling Closely Together.

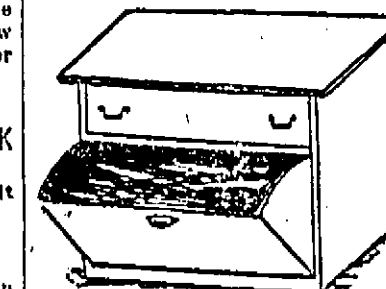
A very interesting fact about the ordinary sand of the seashore is that a pint of dry sand and half a pint of water when mixed do not make a pint and a half, but a good deal less. If you fill a child's pail with dry sand from above the tide-mark, and then pour on to it some water, the mass of sand actually shrinks. The reason is that when the sand is dry there is air between its particles, but when the sand particles are wetted they adhere closely to each other; the air is driven out, and the water does not exactly take an equivalent space, but occupies less room than the air did, owing to the close clinging together of the wet particles. If you add a little water to some sand under the microscope, you will see the sand particles move and cling closely to one another.

"Capillary attraction"—the ascent of liquid in very fine tubes or spaces—is a result of the same sort of adhesive action. If you walk on the firm, damp sand exposed at low tide on many parts of the seashore when it is just free from water on the surface, you will see that when you put your foot down the sand becomes suddenly pale for some seven inches or so all round your foot. The reason is that the water has left the pale-looking sand, (dry sand looks paler than wet sand), and has gone into the sand under your foot, which is being squeezed by your weight. The water passing into that squeezed sand enables its particles to sit tighter or closer together, and so to yield to the pressure caused by your weight. You actually squeeze water "into" the sand, instead of squeezing water "out" of it as is usually the case when you squeeze part of a wet substance—say a cloth, or a sponge. When you lift your foot up, you find that your footmark is covered with water—the water you had drawn to that particular spot by squeezing it. It separates as soon as the pressure is removed.

WOOD BOX IS SELF-CLOSING

Also Can Be Used as Table, with Drawer to Store Things—Seats Old Style.

The cut illustrates how a handy woodbox can be made that bends the old open box back of the stove in that it is useful as a table and has a drawer in which to put things. It is more slightly than the old style box.



Handy Wood Box.

It works on the same principle as the self-closing flour bins in kitchen cabinets.

The balance is such that when shut it stays shut. When open it stays open. A pin at the top prevents its coming out. Some might prefer to simply notch the lower front corner and pivot it on the edge of the board. The box thus hinged could be easily lifted out and the dirt dumped.

Flangeless Driving Wheels.

A remarkable French engine is used on a railroad noted for its extraordinary sharp curves. The drive wheels are flangeless, and to keep the engine from leaving the track it is necessary to resort to an arrangement of guiding wheels, revolving at right angles to the drivers and presenting flat surfaces against the inside of the rails.

Looking Ahead.

Some men pay their debts promptly merely for the purpose of establishing credit that they may some time abuse.

BLOUSES FOR SHORT SKIRTS

What Shall Be Worn With the Abbreviated Rough Suit?

In the almost universal adoption of one piece frocks we have made a backward step to the days that were before the skirt waist, yet how few women there are who are willing to give up that comfortable garment without a protest! The fact remains that we haven't given it up entirely and do not intend to do so without a further struggle. It is possible that the most obedient followers of the dictates of fashion may agree with the arbiters that white shirt waists are possible only for summer, the fold and the motor, but most of us are still unwilling to carry on the business of



A CHARMING EVENING GOWN.

living without at least two or three of these household necessities.

After discarding the white shirt waist as a whole or in part it becomes necessary to decide on other blouses, for blouses of some kind we must have at our command. It is all very well for the fashion makers to affirm that the one piece gown is now universal, but just as many coats are being ordered as usual, and the one piece frock is by no means found under even a majority of them. It may be a necessity for dressy occasions, but for the street it is still in the minority.

What kind of blouses will be worn with the short rough skirt and the long coat to match? There are materials enough, goodness knows, but which is the favored one and what is the exactly proper touch to a blouse that is to be worn in the morning and with a rough suit? These seem to be the points on which we are becoming somewhat fastidious. A couple of years ago a woman thought nothing of appearing in a forty dollar Irish lace blouse and a ten dollar short walking skirt. Now she knows better. She knows that she does not need a fancy blouse under such a coat, and if she wants to follow the mode she will not have it.

The tailor makes of the season are ultra severe and mannish, and the blouses worn with them must be in harmony. First of all, they must match exactly in tone, and if the material of the suit is striped the waist must be striped also. These new blouses for tailor suits do not call for lace or much of anything in the line of trimming. They have stocks of net over one lining to give a soft finish. They fasten down the front and may have the becoming frill. This latter may be fashioned in various ways. It may be a cascade or a single plaiting or a three inch double plaiting that runs to a point at the waist. These frills are frequently bound with the material. The waists are made with long sleeves snugly tight from wrist halfway to elbow, then flaring into a moderate puff and vanishing under a rather tight cap.

Many of these waists are made on boned things, and this is especially desirable with the high waisted skirt, which is still worn to a considerable extent. The buttons down the front of the waist are inclined to be ornamental, and the crocheted sort seem to be preferred, although young girls wear flat buttons of silver or gilt.

This year the blouse of chiffon will be more modish than that of any other material. Net will be second or third choice, and white lingerie waists will be worn only in the morning and with short skirts. Colored net, which was so popular last season, is still worn, but not by those who are trying to be at the top of the mode. The chiffon blouse in the same tone as the skirt will be the smart garment when a one piece frock is not worn.

EMILY SLOANE.

Love and Laughter.

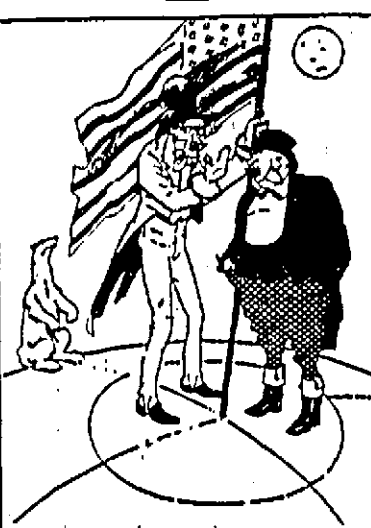
The people who laugh are the people who love, and those who laugh most love intensely.



THE RIGHT IDEA.

Her Father—Clara, I saw Mr. Hobbitt hugging and kissing you in the hallway last night.
Clara—Yes, but papa, it was only in remembrance of former days.
Her Father—Bort of a souvenir, eh?

NO BOUNDS TO EXPLORATION.



The White Bear—Be careful, Miss Moon, they'll be disturbing you next!

First Case on Record. Washington had just said that he couldn't tell a lie. "Surely you don't testify from the absolute?" cried his father. "Mainly," he wondered how to account for it.

SPEEDY.



White—Jones has a motor-car tongue.
Black—What do you mean?
White—It's always running.

First American Book. The first American book printed in the colonies was the "Bay Psalm Book." It was printed at Cambridge, Mass., in 1640.

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MR. TOO-CAREFUL



The Real Fan

By WALT MASON

I am sitting on the bleachers in the wild December storm, and the boards are not upholstered and the weather's far from warm; Oh, I watch the vacant diamond and I clamor for reform. There are winter games aplenty, but they don't look good to me; it's for baseball that I'm sighing, for the game I cannot see, till the winter's traded places with the spring-time, hully chee! Oh, I sit alone and freezing in this windswept, haunted place, and I watch the phantom players sliding round from base to base; and I see a spectral umpire with a phosphorescent face. People say I'm going dotty o'er the great, triumphant game, that the bats are in my belly, and the mould is on my frame; but the winter sports are silly, and they bore me just the same. What we need's a milder climate, so the baseball teams can play all the year, and keep a-moving ten or eleven hours a day; congress ought to knock the bill from mild winters, right away. Oh, I'm sitting on the bleachers, and there's sorrow in my breast; and a lot of key water's running down behind my vest; it's a shame the fans must suffer for the game they love the best!

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Not Really "Wild Apples."

Researches by a horticultural expert show that the so-called "wild apples," or "wild crab," from which many of the present standard commercial varieties have sprung, were wayward descendants of trees originally imported from England and other foreign countries in the eighteenth century.

Naturally. When a woman finds that she weighs more than 140 pounds she begins to regard all scales with suspicion.

Contagion of Vice. Boreas: Vices are contagious and there is no trusting the well and sick together.

Walt Mason

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\$25.00 qualities, at \$20.00
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